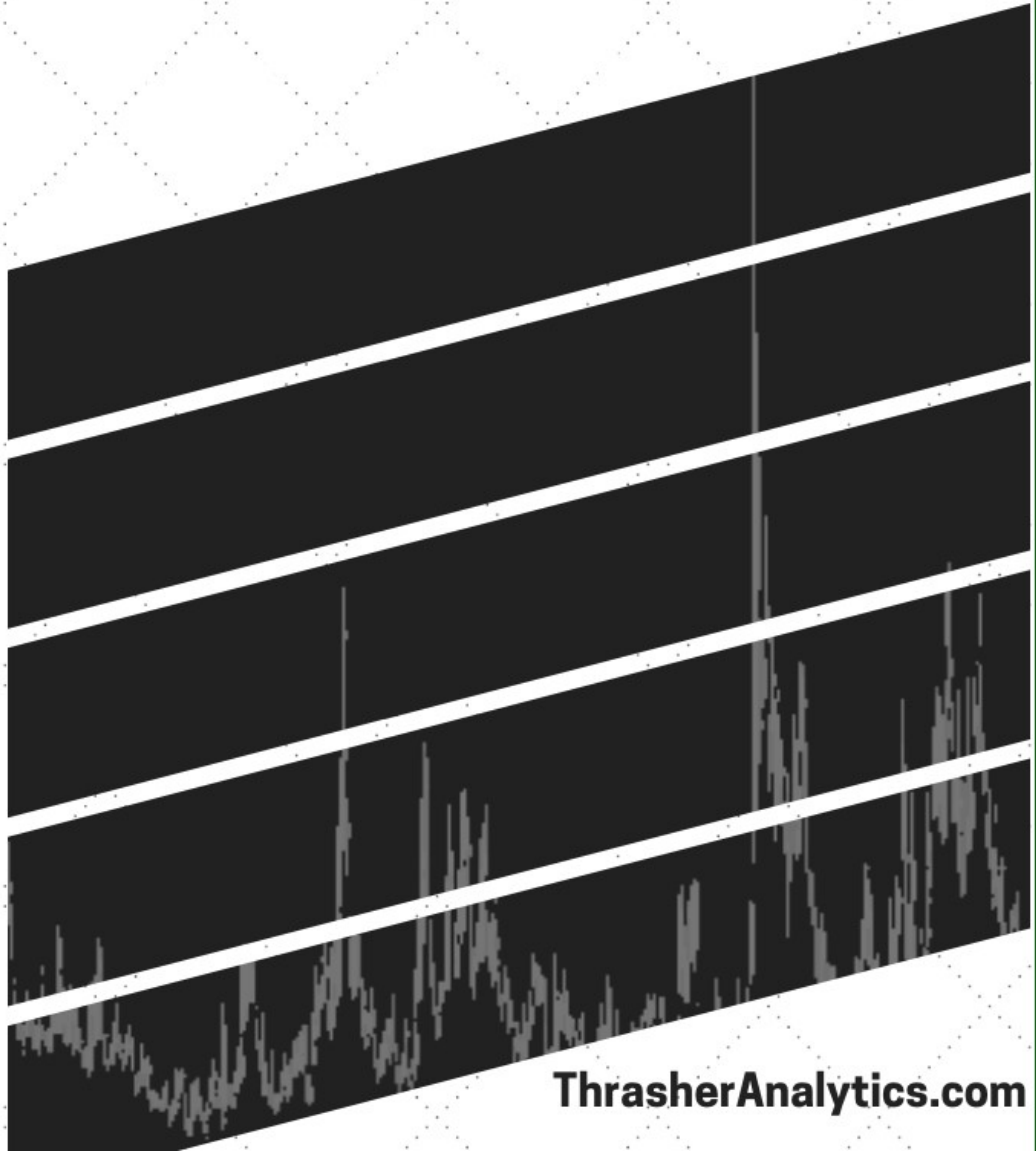




WEEKLY RESEARCH & ANALYSIS



ThrasherAnalytics.com

Sector Rotation: Oct.	
Consumer Disc.	XLY
Materials	XLB
Technology	XLK

Notable Breadth Data:	
SPX >50MA	50.69%
SPX >200MA	57.43%
Nasdaq >50MA	46.60%
Nasdaq >200MA	73.79%

Fixed Income Rotation: Q4	
20+ Yr Treasury	TLT
Core U.S. Agg	AGG

Index & Sector Adaptive Trend		
	Up Trend	Down Trend
SPX	X	
QQQ	X	
XLF		X
XLY	X	
XLK	X	
XLV	X	
XLU		X
XLP	X	
XLI	X	
XLRE	X	
XLE		X
XLB	X	

Daily Sentiment Index		
	% Bullish	5-day MA
S&P 500	50%	53%
Nasdaq 100	53%	57%
Nikkei	62%	67%
VIX	56%	50%
10yr Treasury	74%	79%
5yr Treasury	73%	75%
CRB Index	35%	42%
Gold	30%	32%
U.S. Dollar	43%	44%

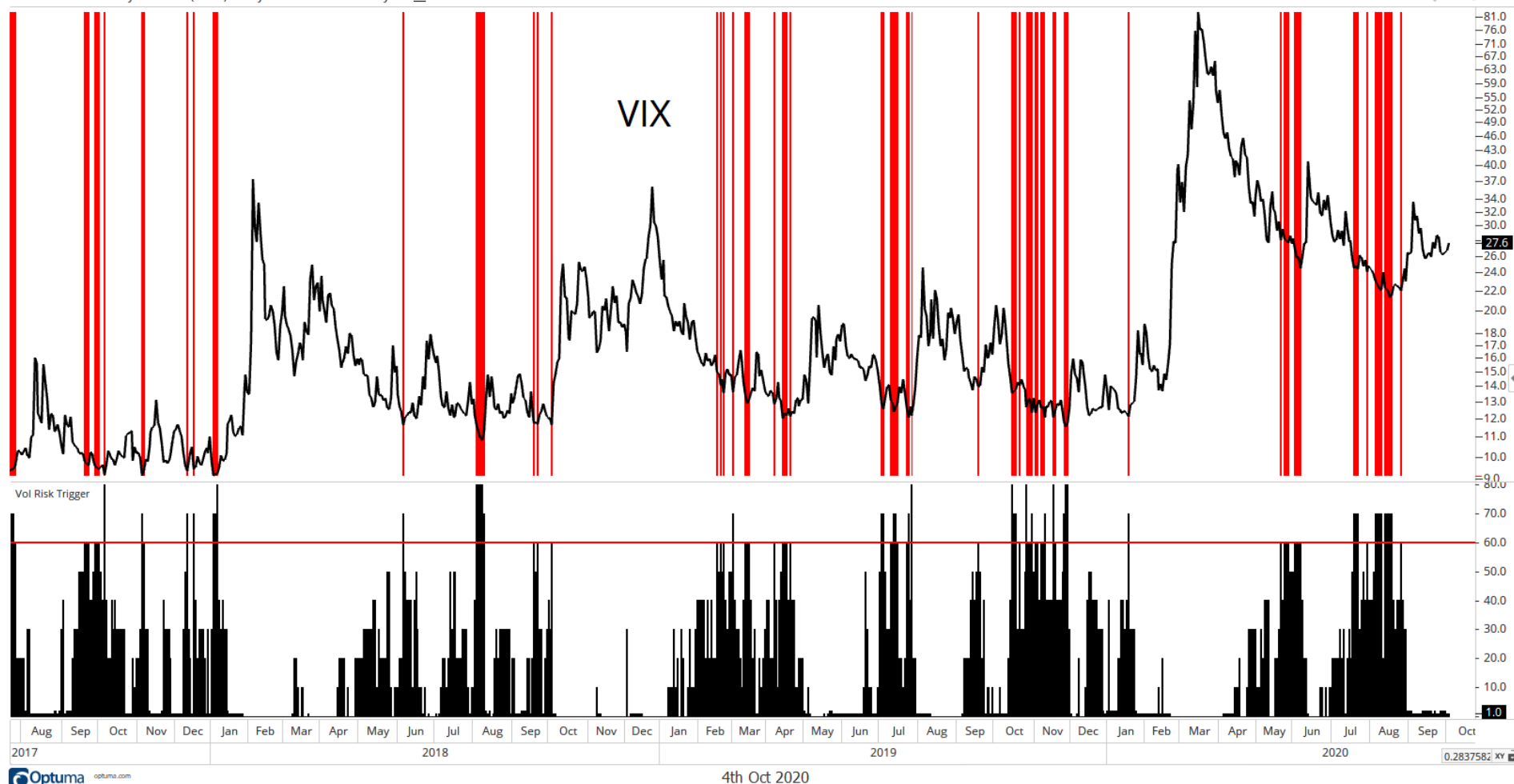
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1 Day - Watch List - No Layout

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SPDR Real Estate Select Sector Fund ETF	True	True	5.08%	-1.54%	2.22%	-6.01%
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CBOE S&amp;P 500 Volatility Index - VIX (CBOE) - 1 Day Line Chart - USD - No Layout



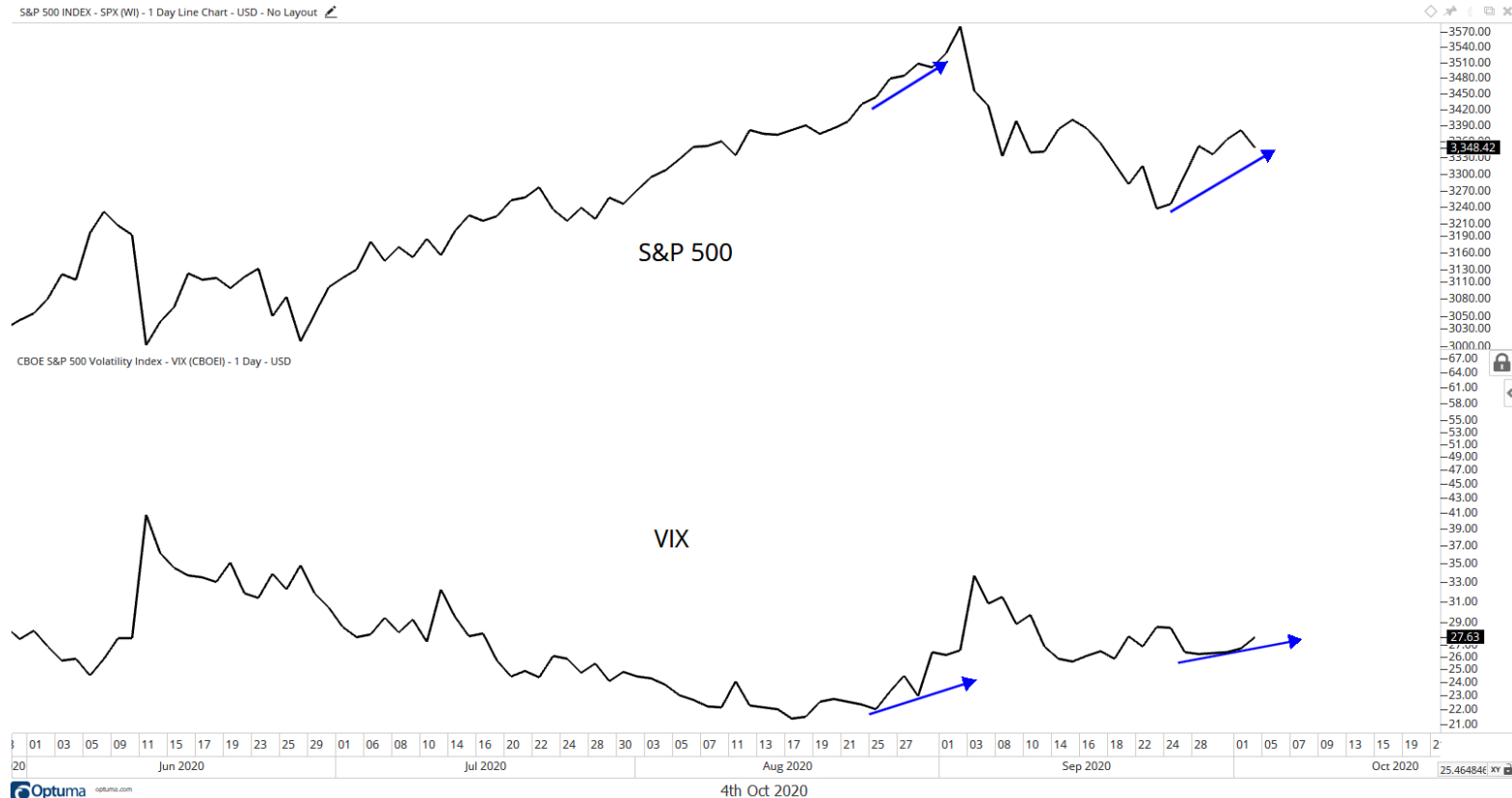
Let me begin with sharing some exciting news, I've been working on improving upon the VRT, and will have a VRT 2.0 coming out very soon. I'll continue to display the current version but the new version I think is a great improvement on a tool I think is already extremely useful. I look forward to sharing 2.0 with you in the coming weeks.

While equities rally last week, as expected, volatility did not materially move lower. In fact we've actually started seeing daily dispersion within the VIX begin to narrow again, nowhere near the levels to cause concern but the VIX holding firm at its currently level, buoyed by headlines surrounding failed stimulus deals and Trump (unsurprisingly) contracting covid.

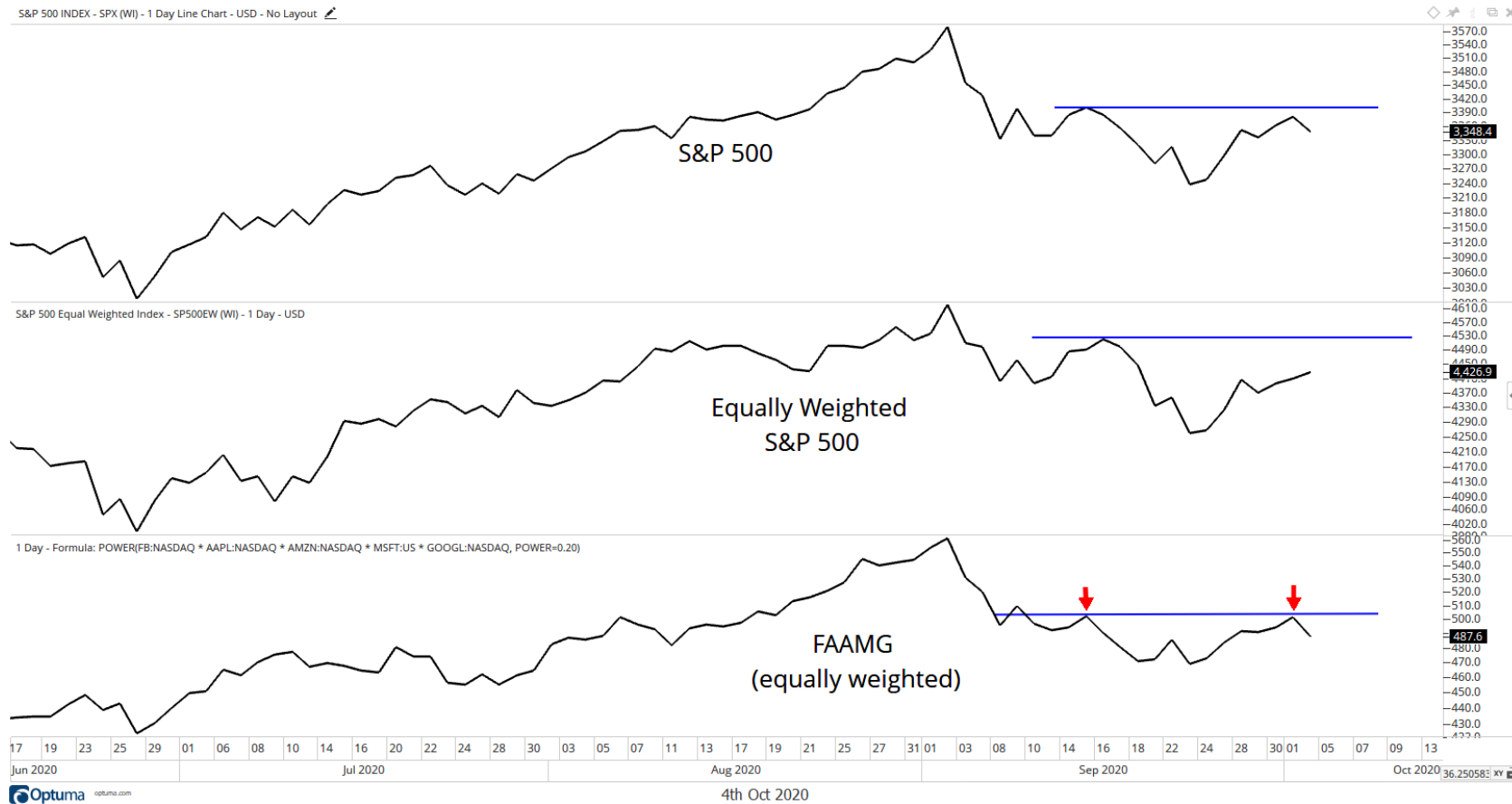


Zooming in a little more closer on this week’s S&P 500 daily chart. The levels previously mentioned are all still “in play” with the SPX unable to get a good move above the 50-day or Sept. VWAP. There’s still plenty of ‘price memory’ at the prior February high which also marks the gap down level from Sept. 16th. Gaps are created by extremely large buying/selling forces that often retain underlying supply/demand dynamics when price re-visit them, that’s what we’re seeing now as SPX unable to get back above 3400. Above these levels I’m watching 3430 which was the close of the second large day down and the area price tried to move above on the first tests of the Sept. high VWAP.

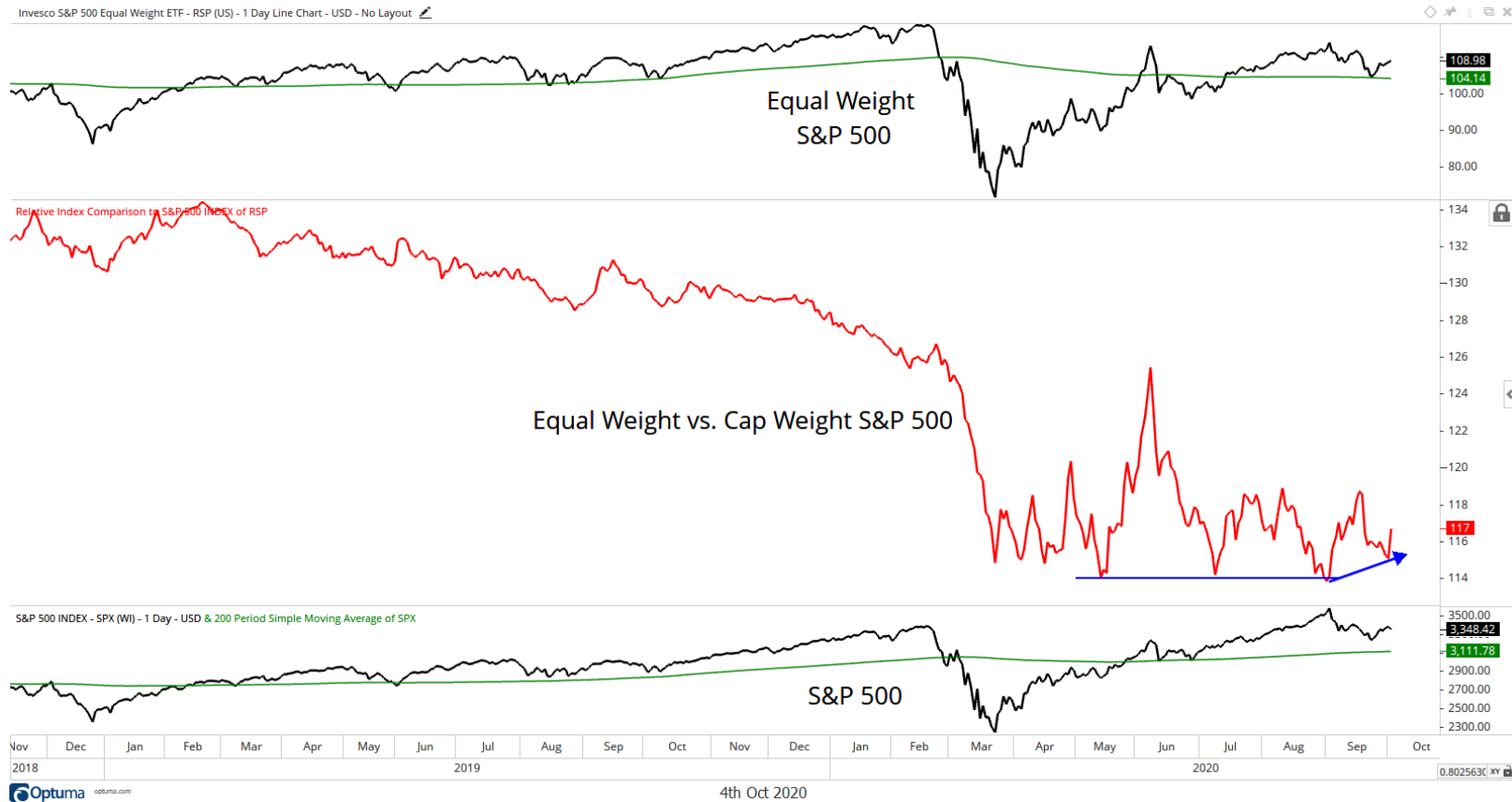
As I wrote last week, seasonally it was expected to see a bounce in the fifth week following four consecutive down weeks in the S&P 500. While it didn’t feel like much of a bounce, equities were able to show some firming up as buyers stepped in many pockets of the market, moving breadth up a few months.



The relationship between the S&P 500 and the Volatility Index perfectly nailed the peak in equities coming into September. You'll remember the chart I shared showing the SPX at a new high when the VIX was 20+% above its 1-month low, something we rarely see happen but did a great job of marking the current high in equity markets. The relationship between vol and equities is important and a topic I'd like to return to. As I mentioned two pages ago, VIX has held firm while equities have also strengthened last week. It's not unexpected to see volatility remain elevated as we navigate October and move closer to the election.

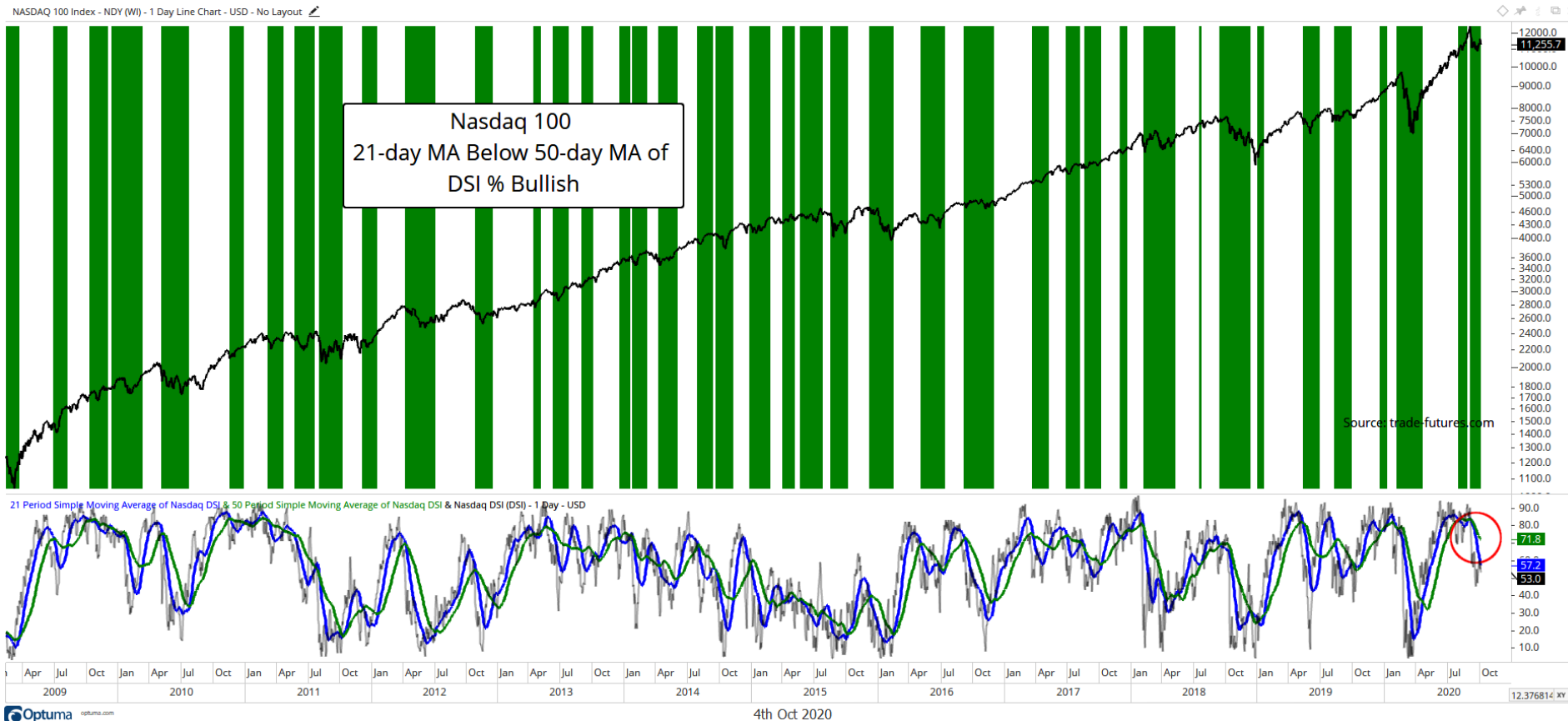


I showed this chart two weeks ago, highlighting the heavy selling in the FAAMG index. FAAMG stocks bounced to re-test the high from mid-September but failed to break above. Note that Friday the SPX moved lower with FAAMG but equal weight S&P 500 actually closed higher, there was some strength in the market on Friday, even with the Trump-covid news but the selling in FAAMG stocks overwhelmed the buying in the smaller capitalized equities.

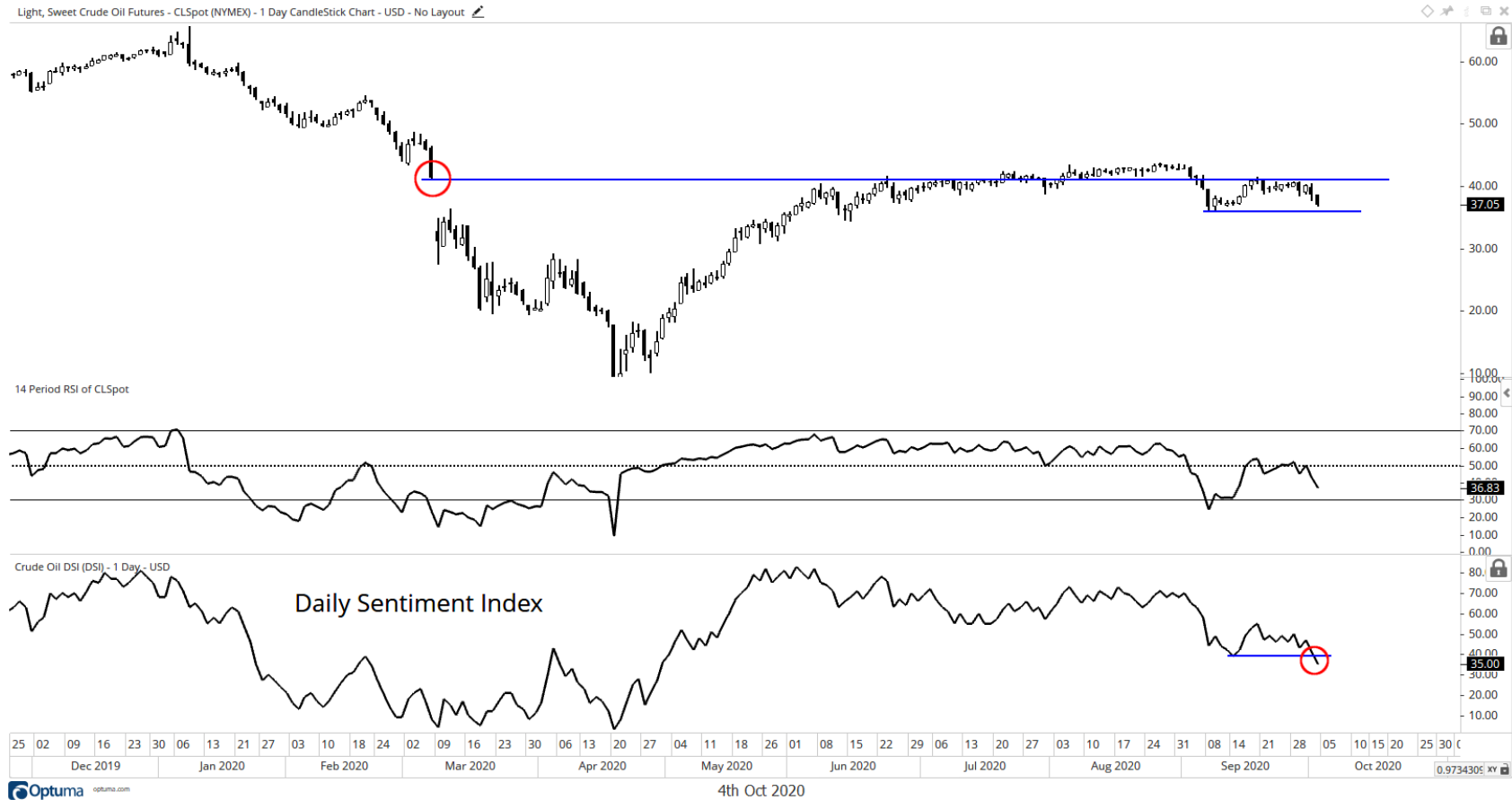


Looking at equal weight S&P 500 (RS) again, this time in a ratio chart against the cap-weighted SPX. While the SPX made lower lows in September, equal weight equities made a higher low in relative performance (red line in the middle of the chart) along with a successful test and hold in RSP of the 200-day moving average. A continuation of this strength in equal weight is a positive sign of risk appetite returning to the market as traders expand their buying focus beyond just the mega caps.





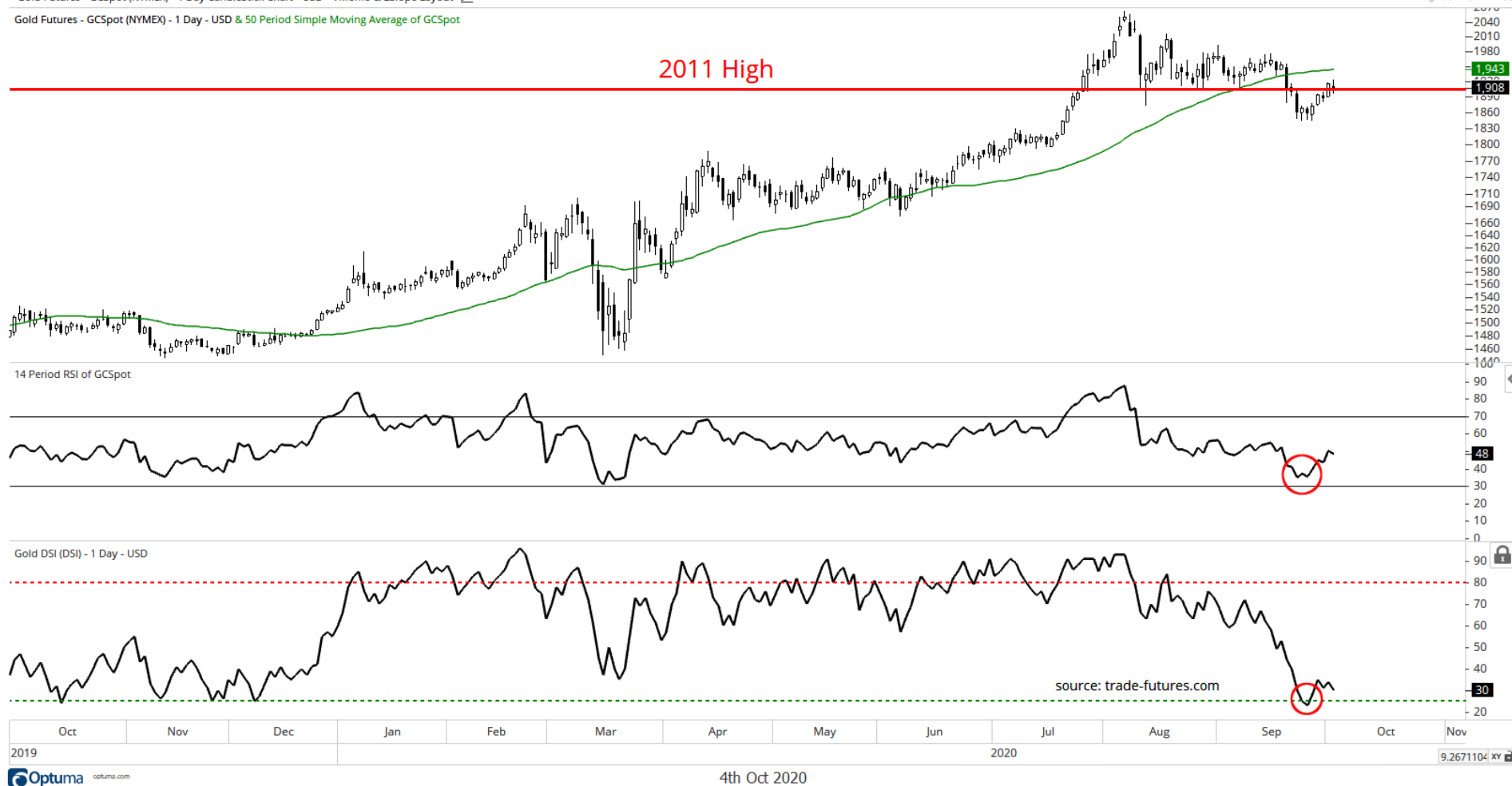
The Daily Sentiment Index % Bullish for the Nasdaq 100 has continued to show characteristics of a down trend. Looking at the data through a moving average crossover between the 21-day and 50-day moving averages, we can see by the green shaded areas on the top panel that when the short-term MA is below the longer-term MA (like it is today), equities have struggled. While this type of analysis is not intended to catch tops and bottoms, instead its relevance is showing the trend direction of sentiment. While price has bounced it's yet to see a confirmation in trend direction by the sentiment index, something we hopefully see soon.



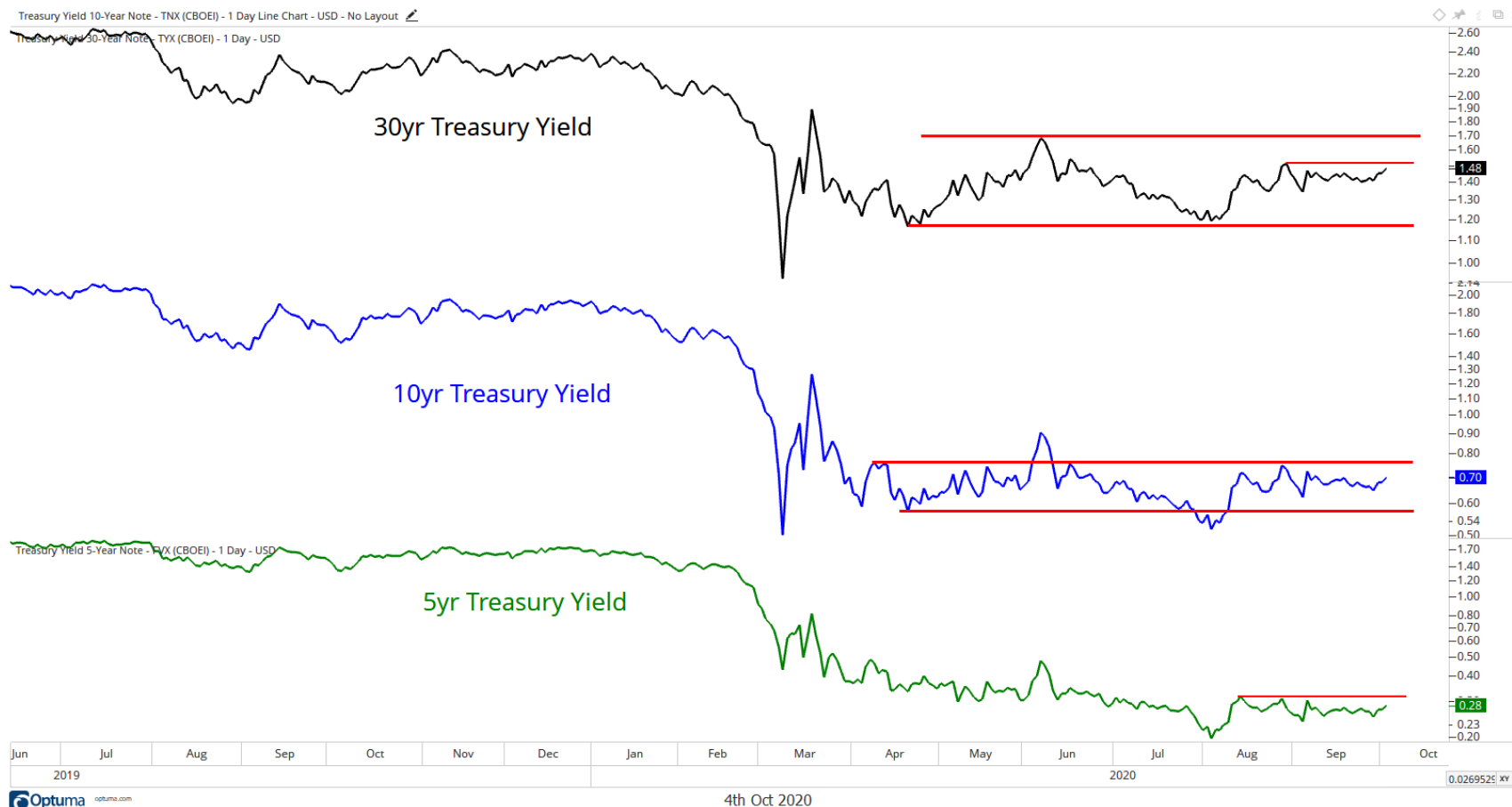
For several months I've been discussing the important resistance level created by the gap down in March for crude oil. The inability of oil to hold above this gap level shows the heavily degree of selling pressure holding oil prices down. Meanwhile, the DSI % Bullish made a new low on Friday, which is taking place ahead of price falling below its prior September low. The energy market looks weak until oil can hold firm above the \$42-\$43.50 area.

Gold Futures - GCSpot (NYMEX) - 1 Day CandleStick Chart - USD - VMomo &amp; ZSlope Layout

Gold Futures - GCSpot (NYMEX) - 1 Day - USD &amp; 50 Period Simple Moving Average of GCSpot

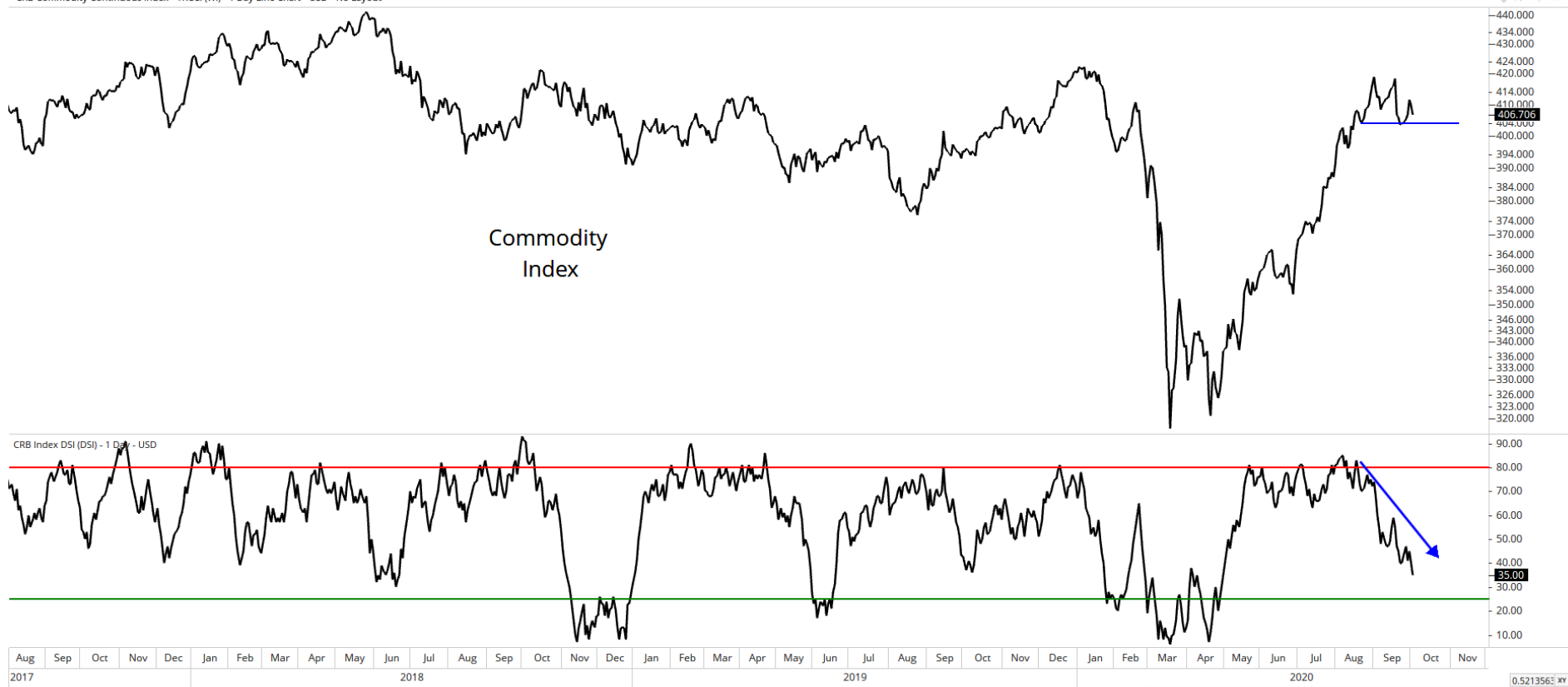


I last mentioned gold when marking the high in August based on its relationship to the U.S dollar being extremely stretched. It's since pulled back below the 2011 high but last week tried to stage a rebound. Sentiment (bottom panel) hit an 'oversold' level under 25% bullish and momentum never reached an 'oversold' showing some internal strength in the price activity. Gold is working on recovering the 2011 level just at \$1900 and further appreciation will get it to test the 50-day moving average which had been good support earlier this year in June. There's an expectation that inflation data will pick up, something the Fed has been vocal in not having a problem with, so gold prices may be a benefactor of that as investors chase the shiny commodity. Gold has not always been a great hedge against inflation, but that doesn't mean investors won't attempt to return to the well (so to speak) and that kind of demand can create opportunity, I'll be watching this chart closely and see if gold can regain its 50-MA.



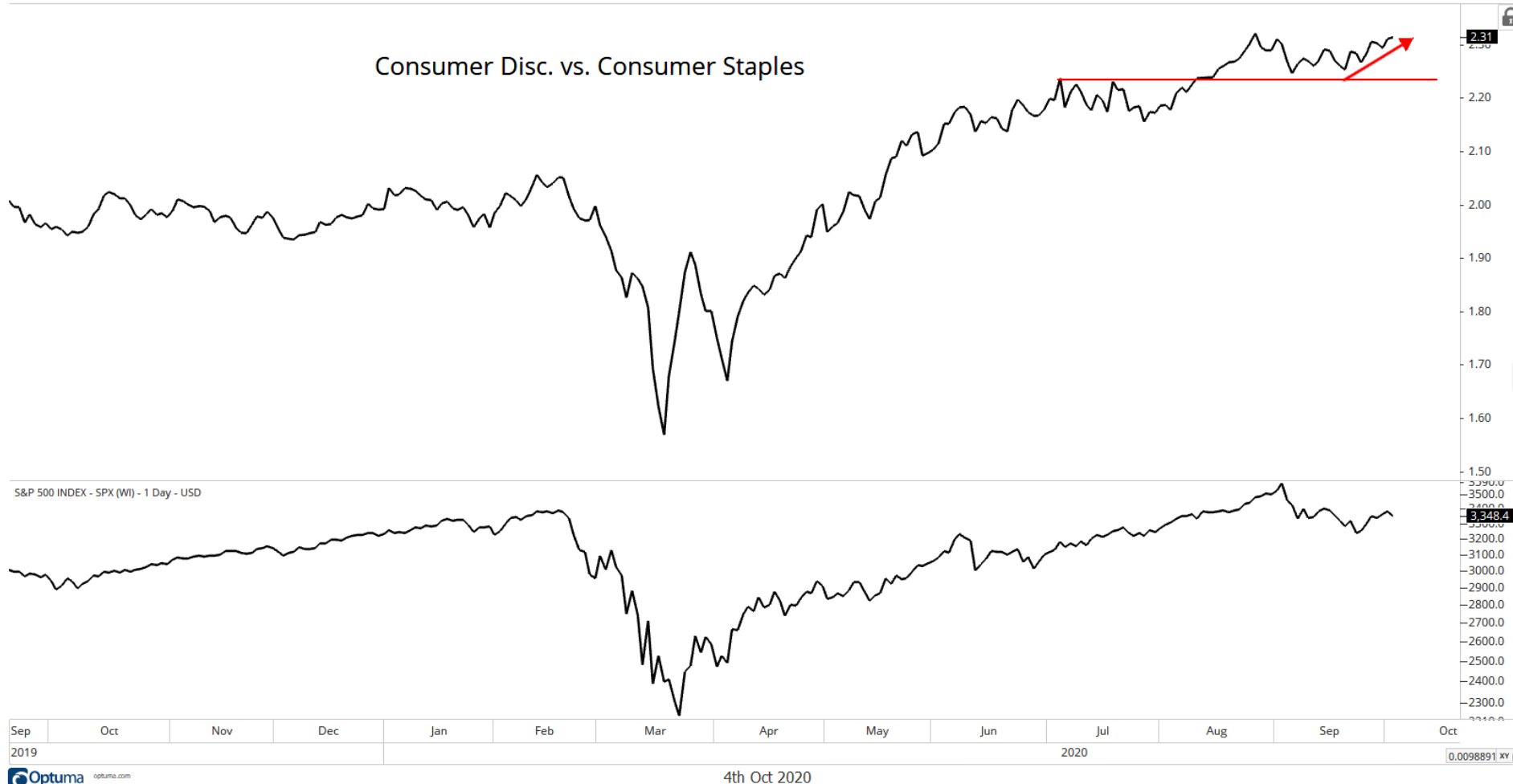
Two weeks ago I wrote that there's a chance we see a strengthening in Treasury Yield, since then we have in fact see a move higher in rates with the 30-year almost back to its August pivot high. All three (30-, 10-, & 5-yr) markets are still in their multi-month range but a further move could threaten a break out. I don't think many traders are expected a material move higher in rates, so a 10-yr above 0.8% may catch many off guard.

CRB Commodity Continuous Index - TRCCI (W) - 1 Day Line Chart - USD - No Layout



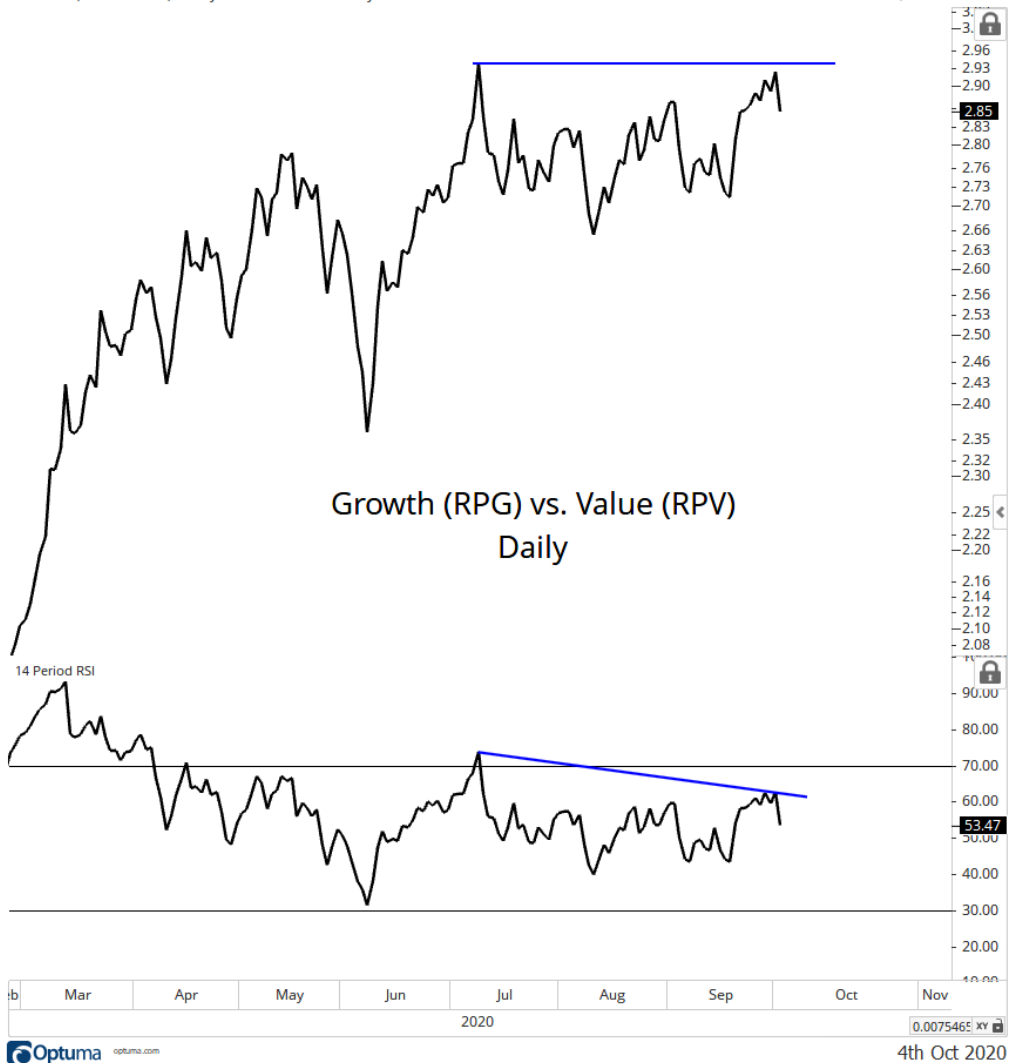
Along with the weakness in oil, the broad sentiment for commodities is also moving materially lower ahead of price. The CRB Commodity Index is still above its prior pivot lows but the % Bullish has been falling for about two months now, finishing on Friday at just 35%. The interest from futures traders in commodities is dying out but that has yet to show up in the price activity. It's likely we see price 'chase down' rather than sentiment 'chase up' in order for these two to converge.

XLY Div XLP - XLY/XLP (Custom Codes) - 1 Day Line Chart - USD - No Layout

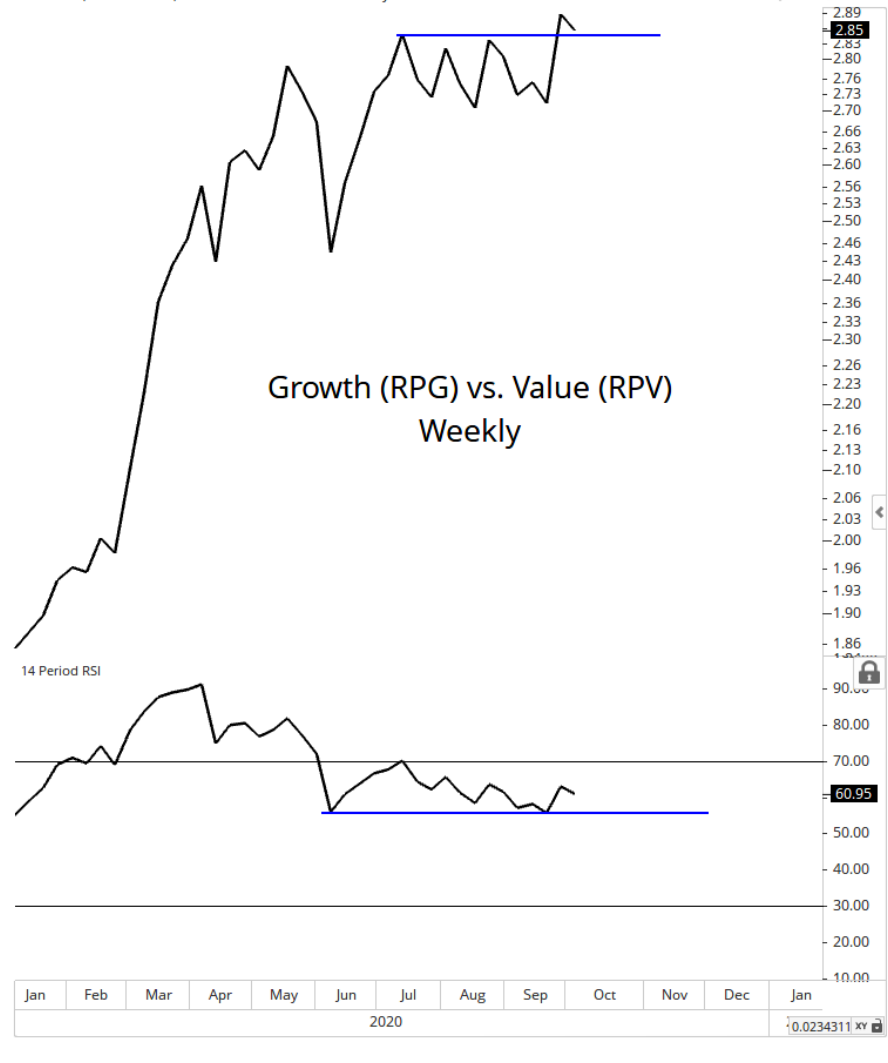


The ratio between Consumer Disc. and Consumer Staples has strengthened over the last two weeks, rising back to the August high. This is a bullish development for equities and positive note specifically for XLY. You'll see in the sector section of this letter, consumer disc. now has 80% of its stocks above the 200-day moving average—the largest figure since the start of the recovery off the March low. While Amazon is the primary driver of the sector, there's good internal strength within the smaller companies.

RPG:RPV (Custom Codes) - 1 Day Line Chart - USD - No Layout



RPG:RPV (Custom Codes) - 1 Week Line Chart - USD - No Layout



Growth (RPG) vs. Value (RPV)  
Weekly

The ratio between growth (RPG) vs value (RPV) may be making another attempt to rotate back in favor of value. This break in trend has been attempted several times in the last year, each failing to create a new long-term trend towards value. But alas, I'll cover it once again to show what the chart is telling us. The momentum of the ratio (left chart) is breaking down as the ratio made a run back to the prior high. The weekly chart (right chart) shows the latest break out but the move lower last week opens a door for value to create a false breakout and momentum to break below the current 'floor' around 55. The trend clearly is in favor of growth but there's a few holes of weakness that could be exploited if value traders become so bold. We'll see if these continue to develop or if growth stocks continue to remain in the driver seat.

One of the new sections of the report will include a more detailed look at the primary S&P sectors. This section will develop over time but initially will include two pages (three when the divergence data launches in the next report).

The first page will show a daily and weekly chart of the sector with two proprietary indicators. The first is a **Momentum Composite**, which allows momentum indicators to be viewed from an overbought and oversold lens as the indicator evaluates the z-score of multiple momentum indicators with varying lookback periods. When the underlying indicators are at historic extremes, they often are prone to mean-reversion price action, especially when grouped together as I've done with the Momentum Composite

The second tool is a **Volatility-Adjusted Momentum**, which uses a custom gauge of volatility applied to a traditional momentum indicator.

When used together, a great deal can be gleaned from what momentum is showing for the daily and weekly charts of each sector and I'll of course provide brief commentary to accompany them.

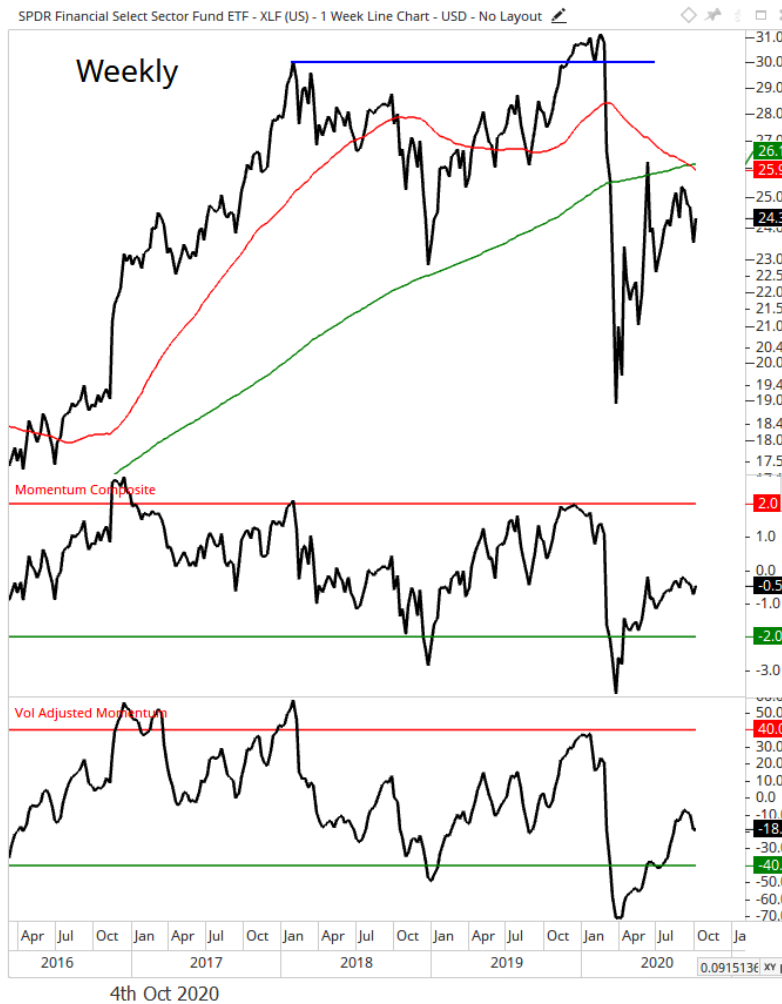
On the far right are **two watchlists**, showing stocks that make up each sector broken down by momentum and mean-reversion. The momentum list is the same tool used for the sector rotation model, a custom built indicator (different than the Momentum Composite) that evaluates the trend of a security and provides a score based on the attractiveness and sustainability of that trend. The higher the score the better.

The second watchlist is the individual stocks of the sector sorted by respective Momentum Composite reading, shown as a z-score. Scores less than 2 are significant.

These watchlists can provide an excellent starting point for further research and analysis. Feel free to use these as idea generation. I'll have more details and example back tests in the future. These lists aren't intended to be buy/sell signals on their own.

The second page will show several standard breadth gauges for each sector, providing additional insight into the individual stock participation in the sector's price action.





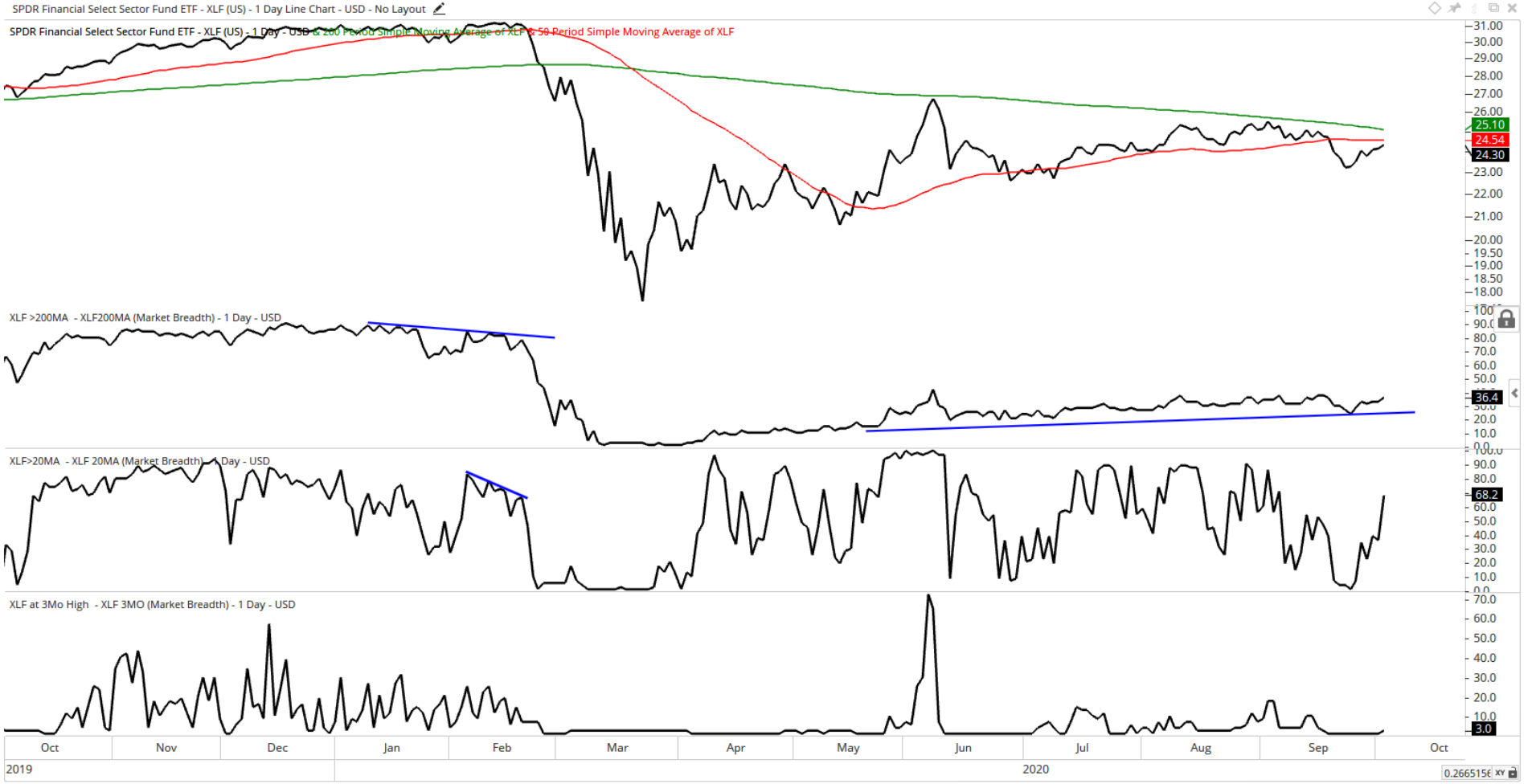
Watch List

Ticker	Momentum
Financial Momentum Score	
SPGI	16.6228
PGR	15.5897
BRK.B	7.7493
AJG	6.3478
MCO	6.1601
MMC	4.8690
AIZ	0.9446
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AON	-2.6679
SYF	-2.7125

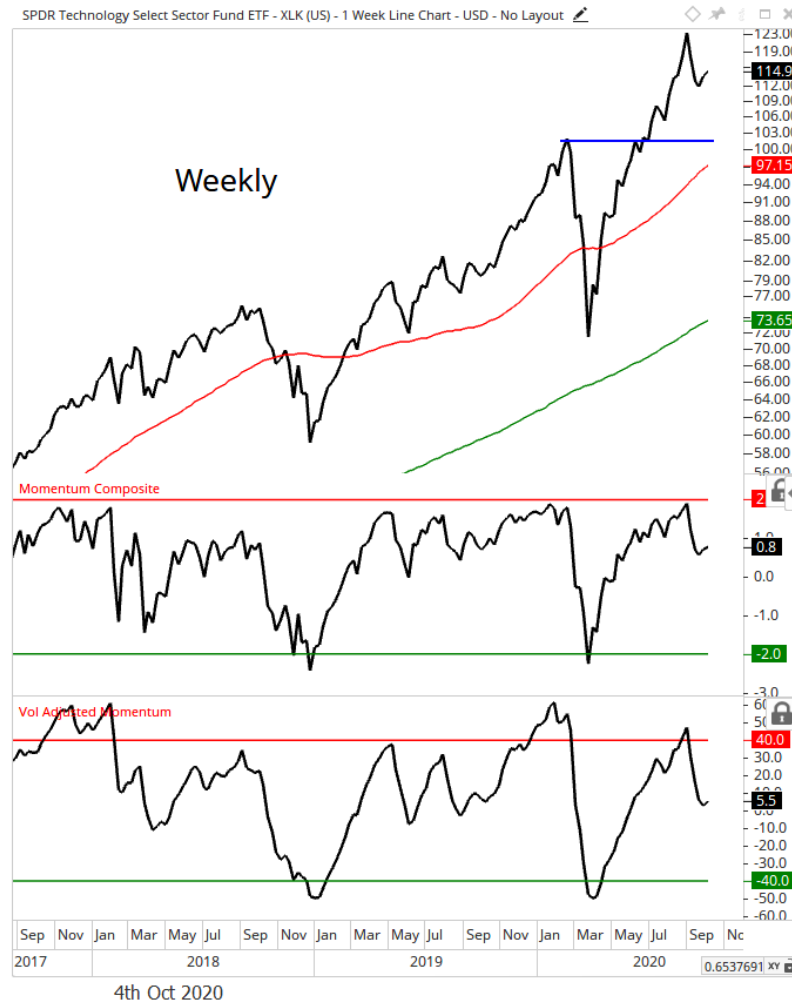
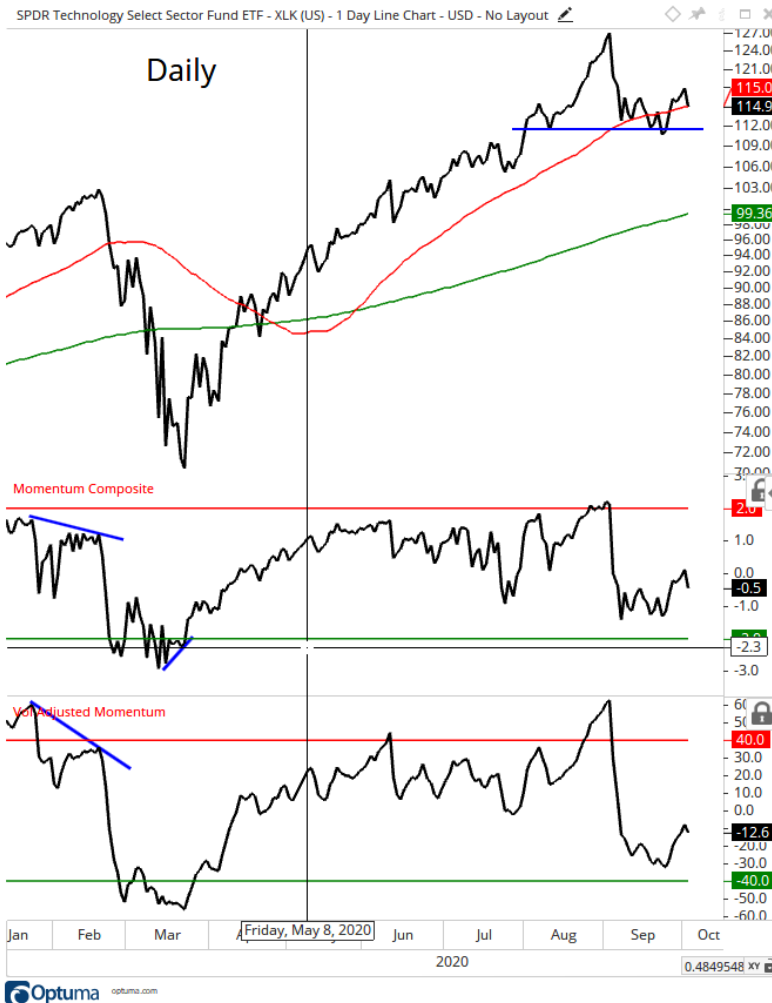
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Ticker	Mean Reversion
Financial Mean Revision Score	
CBOE	-1.3244
C	-1.1494
MTB	-1.1417
CME	-1.0653
CB	-0.9789
WFC	-0.9771
PBCT	-0.9724
RE	-0.9722
HIG	-0.9639
ALL	-0.9274
BK	-0.9115
ZION	-0.9017
LNC	-0.8448
AIG	-0.8138
NTRS	-0.7438
TRV	-0.7118
BAC	-0.7089
USB	-0.6963
JPM	-0.6822
KEY	-0.6703

XLF still holding above its 50-day MA but unable to break the 200-day MA.



% above 200-day MA is still rising.



Watch List

Ticker	Momentum
Tech Sector Momentum Score	
NVDA	35.2964
AVGO	27.2937
NOW	26.7051
QCOM	23.6127
GLW	18.8552
CTSH	18.5919
ORCL	15.6400
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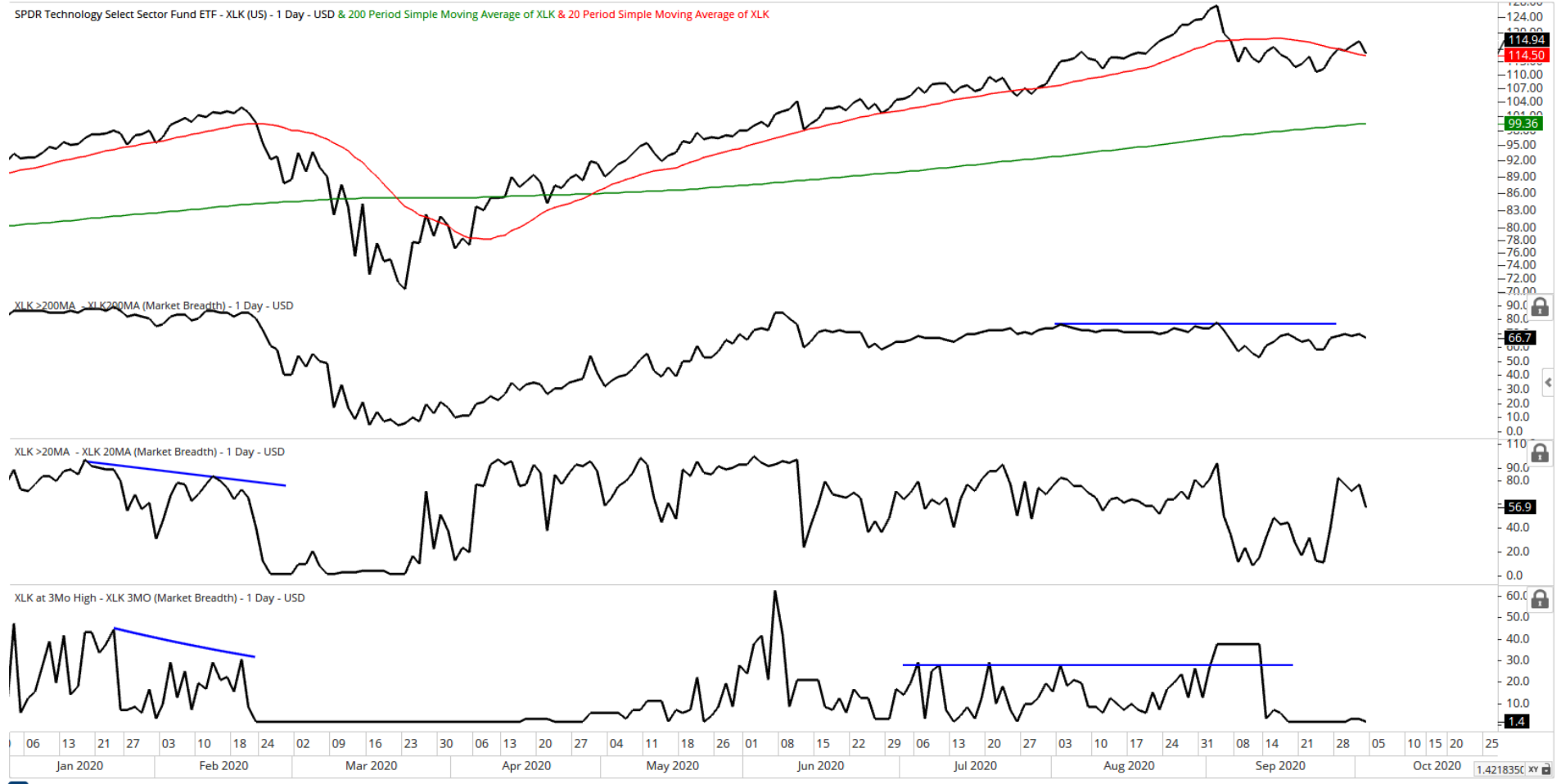
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Tech Sector Mean Reversion Score	
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JNPR	-1.2376
WDC	-1.2323
FLIR	-1.0876
FLT	-0.9086
FFIV	-0.8944
ADP	-0.8642
INTC	-0.8071
WU	-0.6677
IBM	-0.6519
NLOK	-0.6423
NTAP	-0.5849
XRX	-0.5491
ANET	-0.5050
LDOS	-0.4827
MU	-0.4795
FISV	-0.4746
STX	-0.4733
ADS	-0.4204
IT	-0.3115

XLK holding above the prior Aug/Sept lows with price testing to hold the 50-MA.

SPDR Technology Select Sector Fund ETF - XLK (US) - 1 Day Line Chart - USD - No Layout

SPDR Technology Select Sector Fund ETF - XLK (US) - 1 Day - USD & 200 Period Simple Moving Average of XLK & 20 Period Simple Moving Average of XLK



% above 200day MA holding up well but not gotten back to 80% yet.



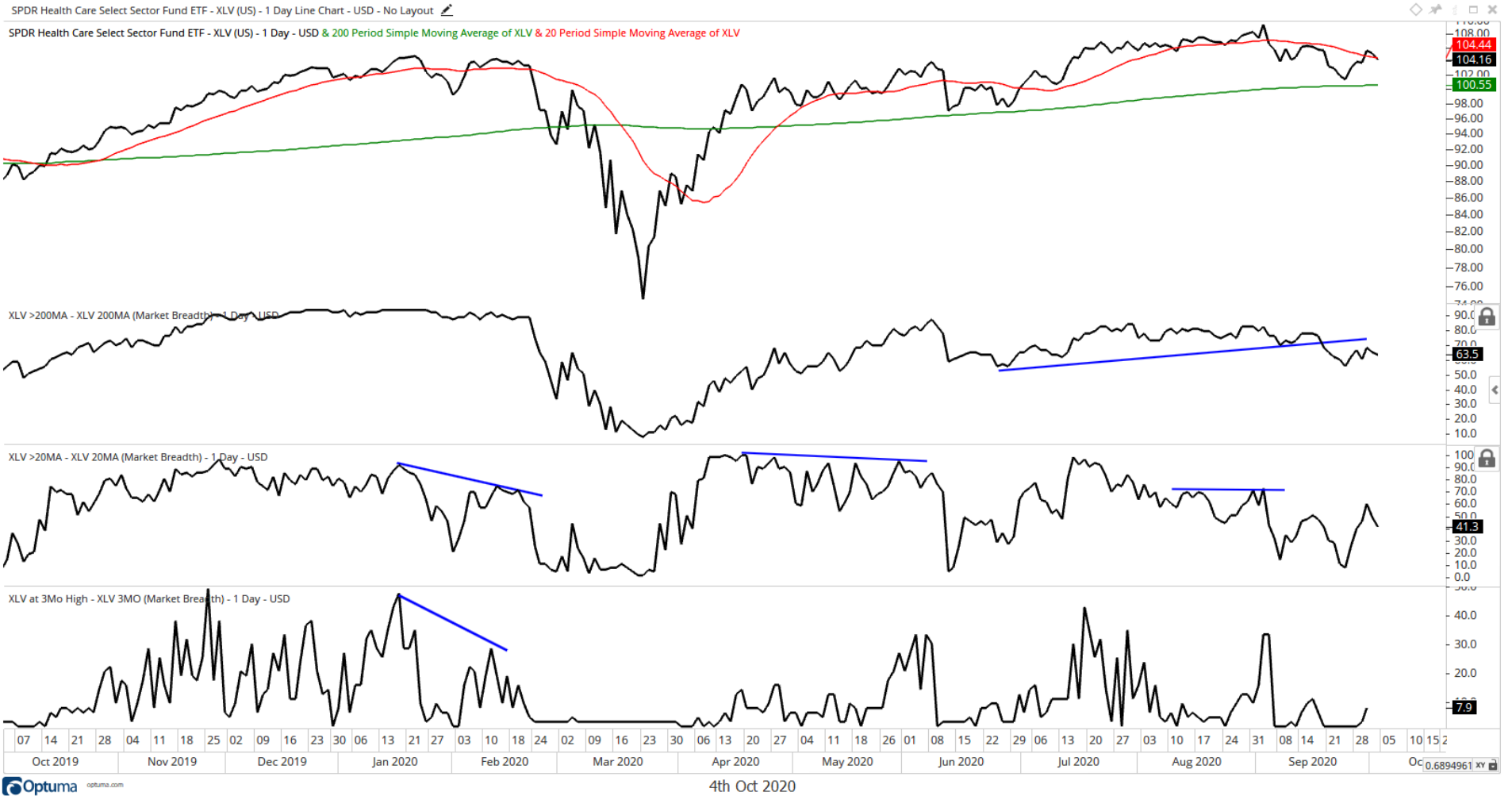
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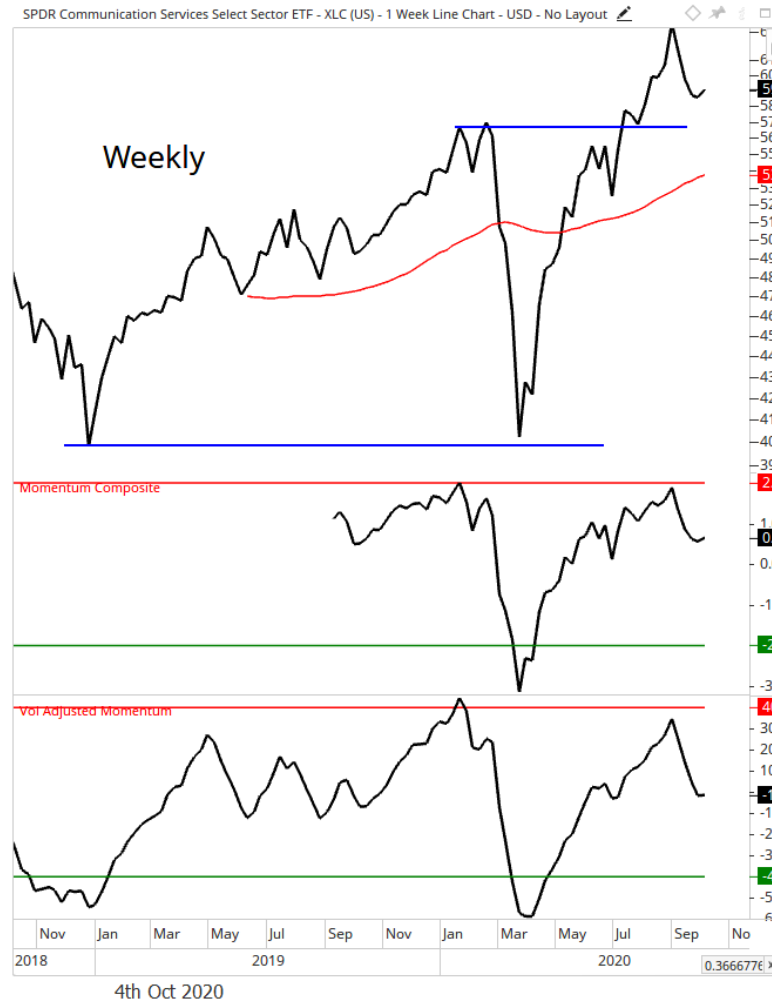
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XLV failing again tot hold the Feb high with no progress made on fixing the false breakout on the weekly.



Breadth tracking price.



Watch List

Ticker	Momentum
Communications Momentum Score	
CHTR	27.9041
TWTR	26.1216
CMCSA	18.3621
TMUS	17.2810
VZ	8.1959
ATVI	4.5396
VIAC	0.6392
TTWO	-1.9954
NWSA	-2.5906
NWS	-4.8546
NFLX	0.9553

Watch List

Ticker	Mean Reversion
Communications Mean Reversion	
T	-1.1749
OMC	-0.9580
CTL	-0.7865
DISCK	-0.7488
DISH	-0.7241
DISCA	-0.7120
IPG	-0.5389
DIS	-0.2419
FOXA	-0.1858
LYV	-0.1579
FOX	-0.0983
VIAC	0.0908
GOOGL	0.3908
GOOG	0.3963
VZ	0.4993
NWS	0.5110
NWSA	0.6327
EA	0.6573
ATVI	0.7688

XLC tested and held above the Feb. high but failed to keep price above the 50-day MA.

SPDR Communication Services Select Sector ETF - XLC (US) - 1 Day Line Chart - USD - No Layout

200 Period Simple Moving Average of XLC & 20 Period Simple Moving Average of XLC



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Breadth holding firm for XLC, no major damage to % above 200MA.





Watch List

Ticker	Momentum
Materials Momentum Score	
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<input type="checkbox"/> APD	22.0641
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<input type="checkbox"/> FCX	15.1876
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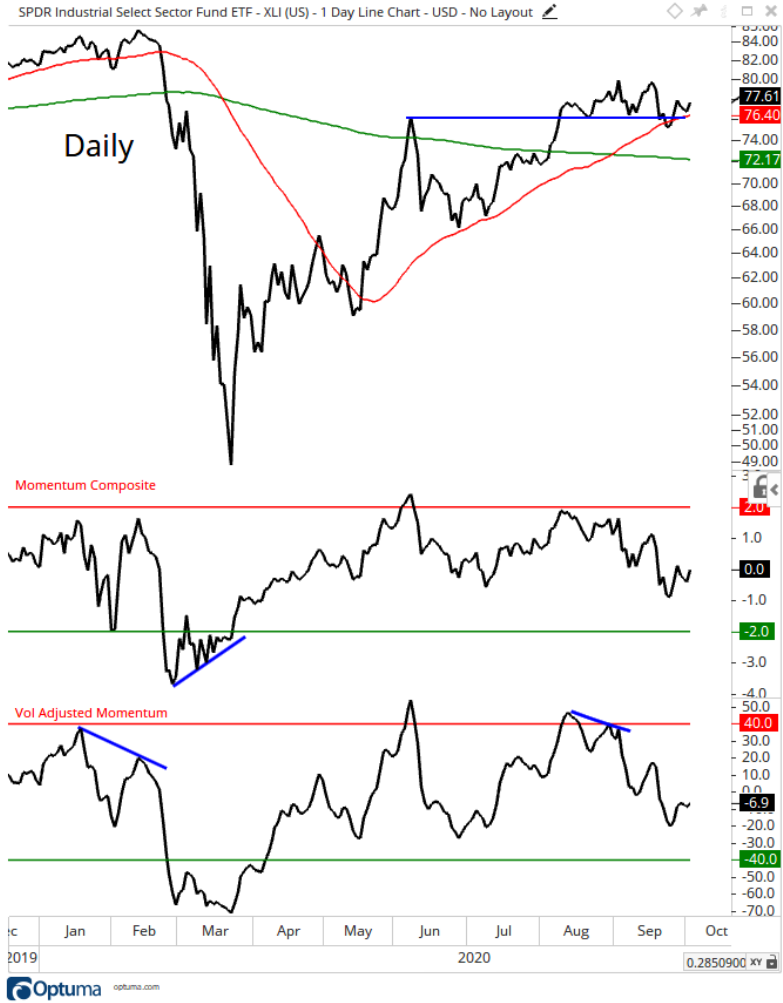
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XLB failed to hold above the prior major high on weekly chart and continues to do battle w/ the 50-MA.



Breadth is positive for XLB.



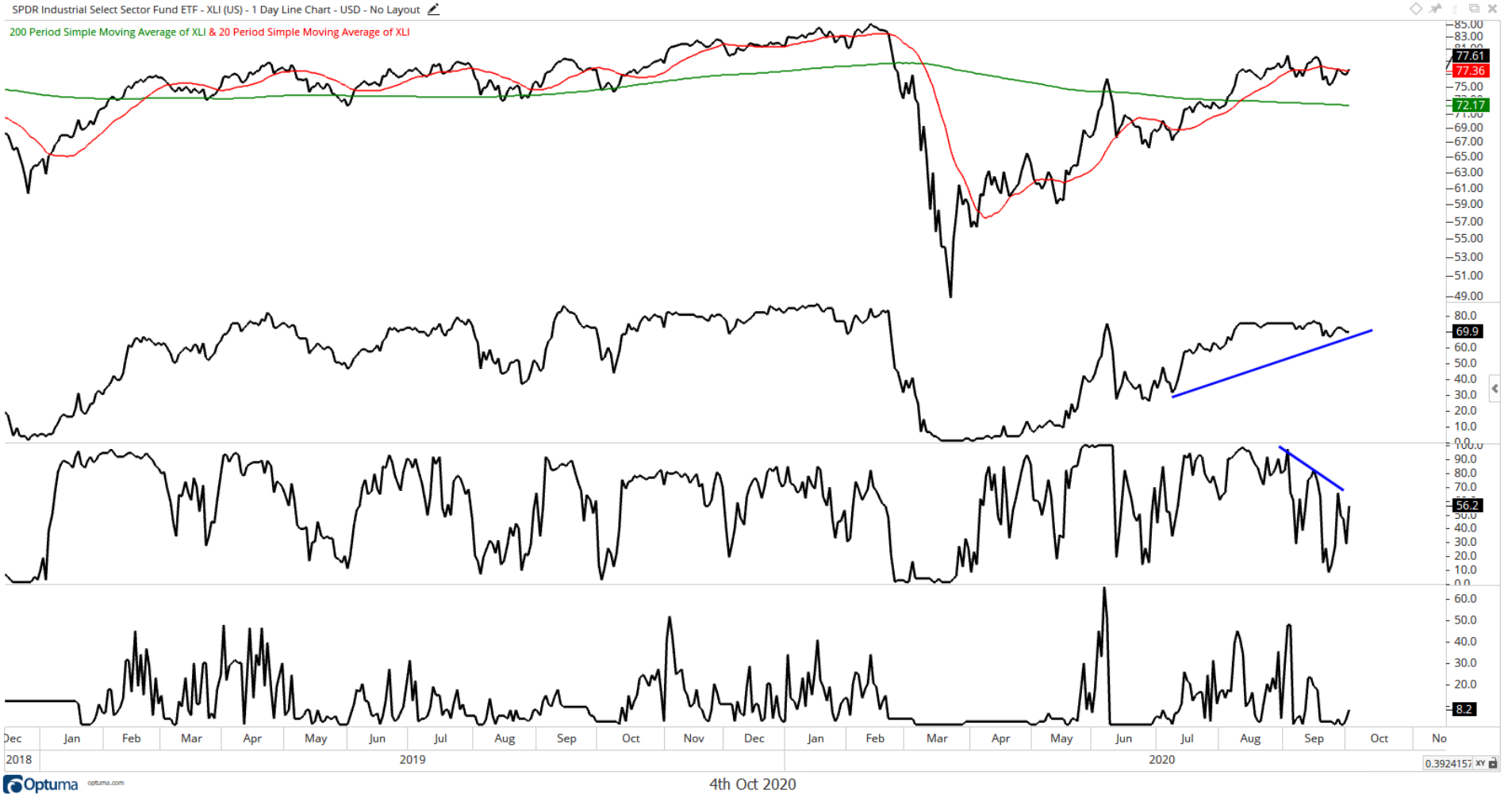
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Ticker	Mean Reversion
Industrial Mean Reversion Score	
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Price holding above May high and 50-MA, good price action with many other sectors back below 50-MA.



%20MA diverging but %200MA still holding strong.



Watch List

Ticker	Momentum
Consumer Staples Momentum Score	
PG	28.6192
COST	21.7076
ADM	17.1005
WMT	14.6973
CHD	11.3625
BF.B	9.8814
EL	8.0366
MNST	6.9073
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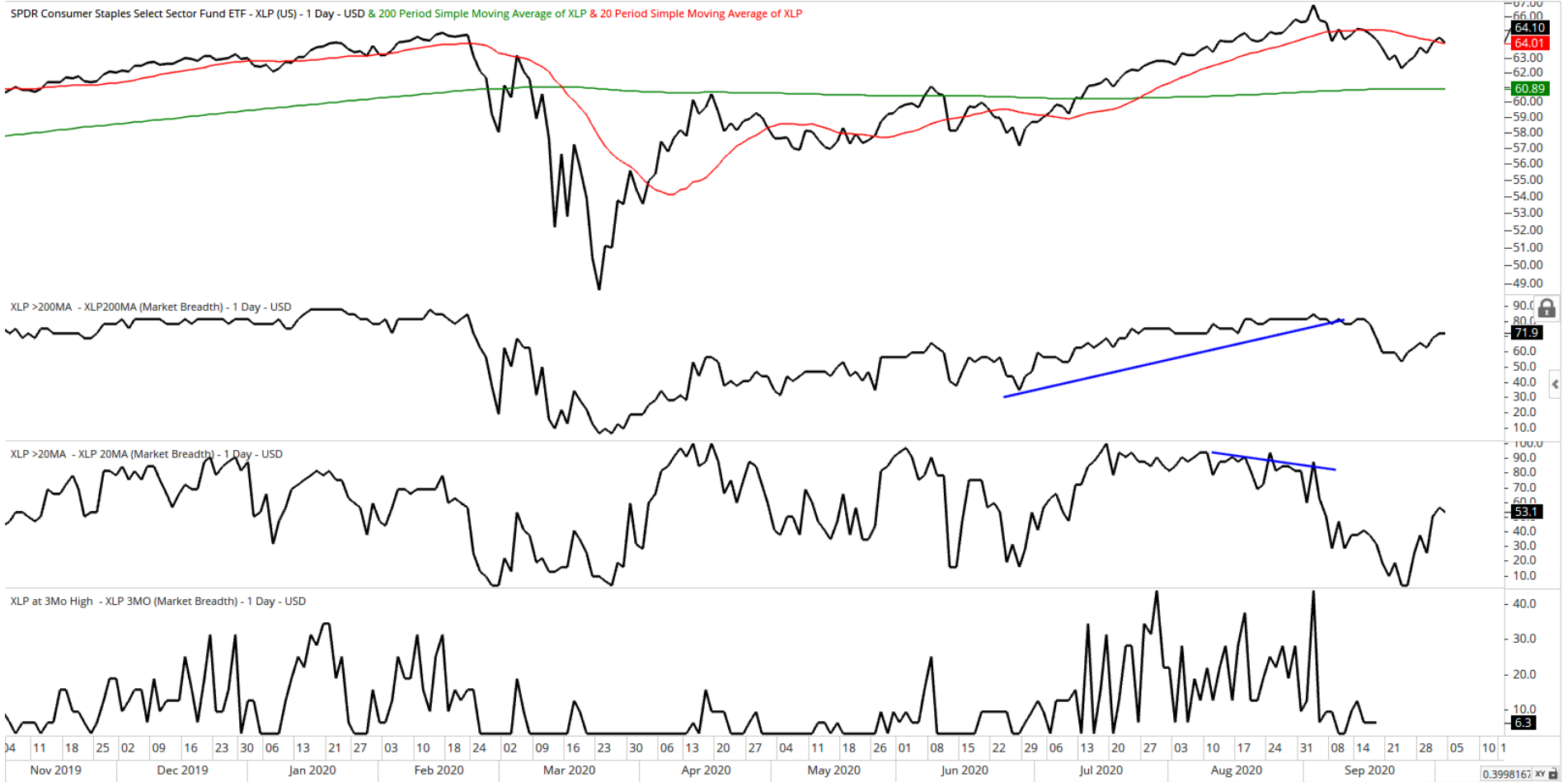
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Ticker	Mean Reversion
Consumer Staples Mean Reversion	
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COTY	-1.3401
TAP	-1.1925
TSN	-0.9247
MO	-0.7980
PM	-0.6173
K	-0.3534
KO	-0.3088
LW	-0.2672
HSY	-0.2296
SY	-0.1665
CPB	0.0330
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CLX	0.5696
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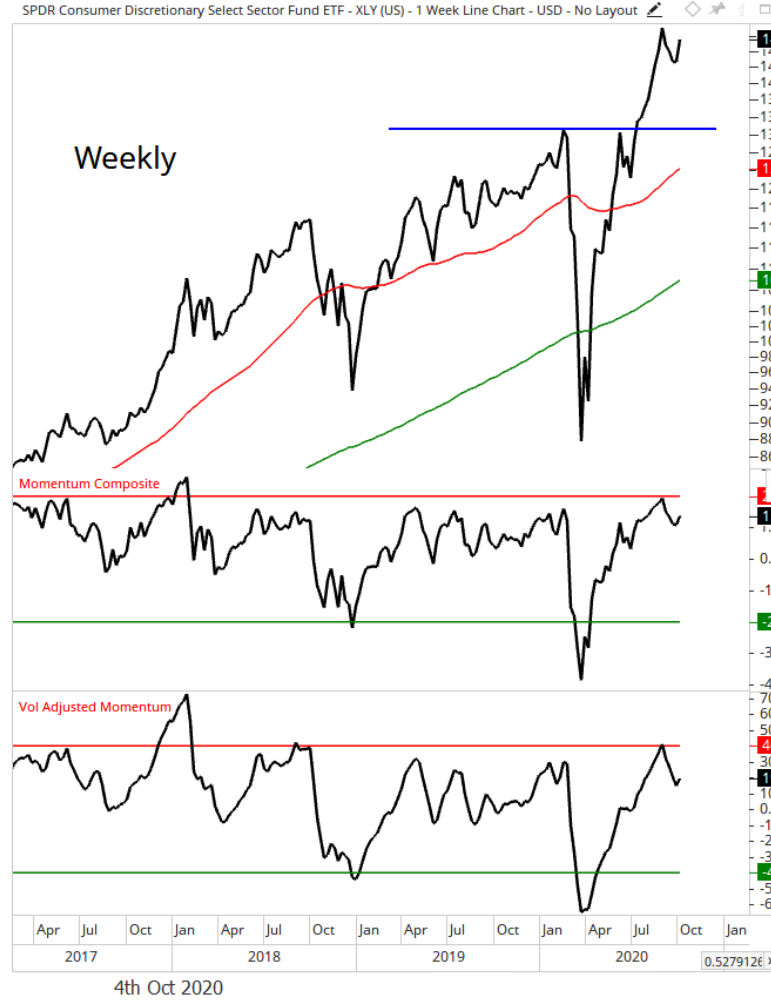
XLP still below Feb high but closed above 50-MA.

SPDR Consumer Staples Select Sector Fund ETF - XLP (US) - 1 Day Line Chart - USD - No Layout

SPDR Consumer Staples Select Sector Fund ETF - XLP (US) - 1 Day - USD & 200 Period Simple Moving Average of XLP & 20 Period Simple Moving Average of XLP



Breadth improving.



Watch List

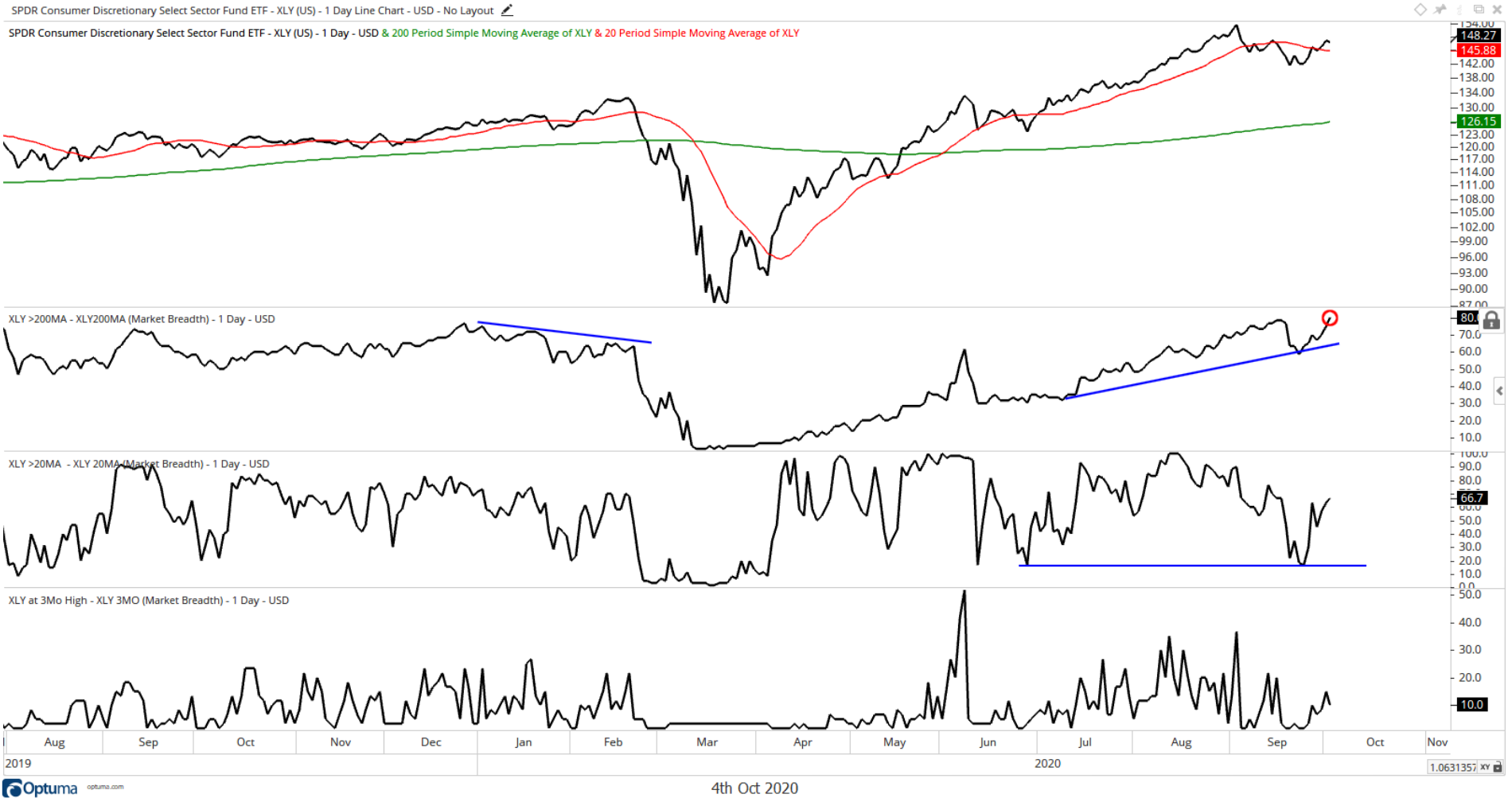
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Consumer Disc. Momentum Score	
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Watch List

Ticker	Mean Reversion
Consumer Disc. Mean Reversion Score	
<input type="checkbox"/> JWN	-1.0891
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XLY still above 50-day MA and showing one of the stronger charts of the major sectors.



New high in % above 20-day MA since March has breadth continues to improve for XLY.





Watch List

Ticker	Momentum
Real Estate Momentum Score	
<input type="checkbox"/> PSA	16.9477
<input type="checkbox"/> SBAC	12.6656
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Watch List

Ticker	Mean Reversion
Real Estate Mean Reversion	
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<input type="checkbox"/> SPG	-0.3940
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XLRE continues to trade in a narrow channel above and below the flattening 200-day MA.



Breadth has flattened with price but is trying to improve.



Watch List

Ticker	Momentum
Utilities Momentum Score	
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Watch List

Ticker	Mean Reversion
Utilities Mean Reversion Score	
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<input type="checkbox"/> ES	0.2931

XLC just barely closed above the 20-MA on Friday but still sits under the prior pivot high.



Breadth improving, with one of the highest % above 200-MA readings in several months.



Watch List

Ticker	Momentum
Energy Momentum Score	
WMB	-23.7851
COG	-30.2396
PXD	-40.8166
HAL	-43.9391
NBL	-46.0864
BKR	-47.7032
SLB	-49.9434
HES	-50.9396
MPC	-52.9063
COP	-54.0553

Watch List

Ticker	Mean Reversion
Energy Mean Reversion Score	
KMI	-1.5619
CVX	-1.5583
HES	-1.4965
VLO	-1.4835
XOM	-1.4376
EOG	-1.393
HFC	-1.3555
NOV	-1.3546
PSX	-1.3187
CXO	-1.1698
COP	-1.1479
BKR	-1.1458
HP	-1.0965
MPC	-1.0964
OXY	-1.0841
APA	-1.0512
MRO	-1.0222
FANG	-0.9692
OKE	-0.9688

XLE continues to make new lows.



No internal support, breadth still bad.

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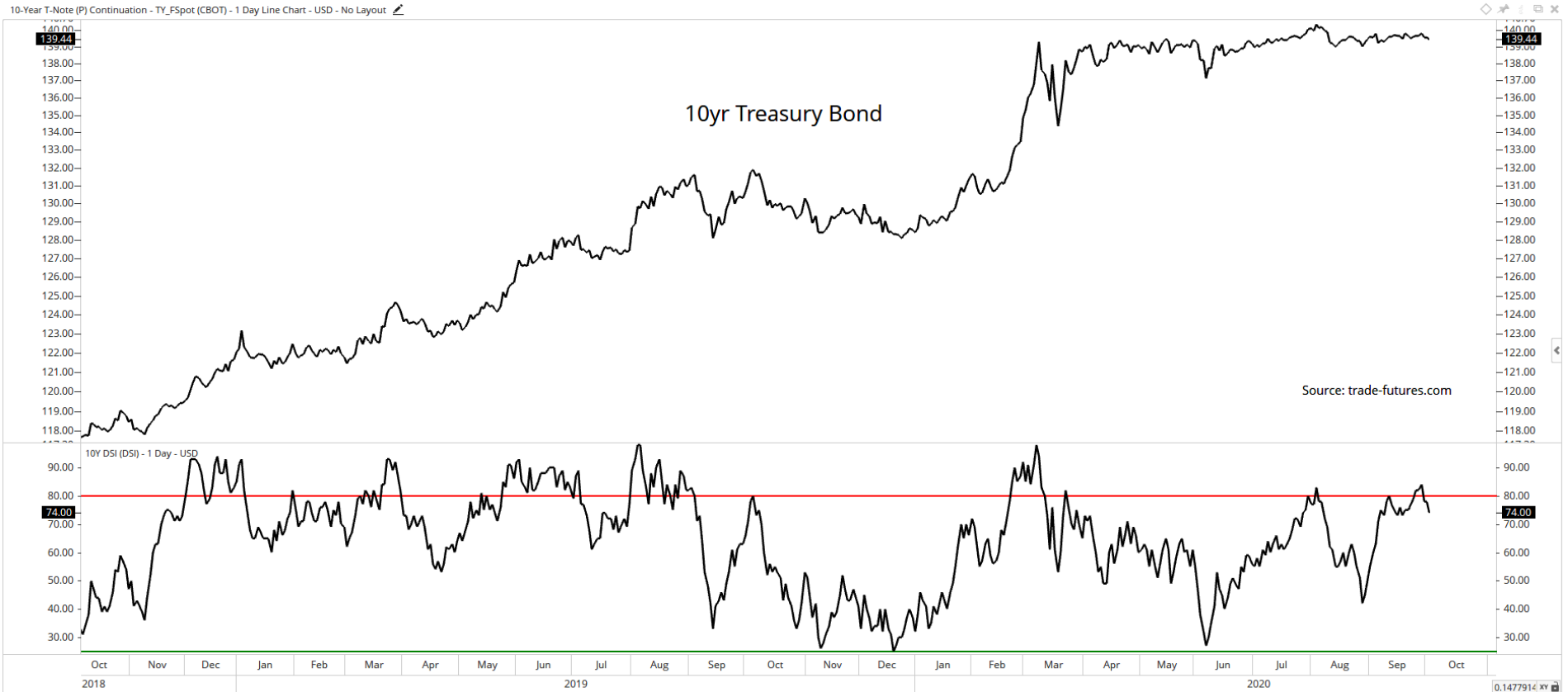
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Coffee DSI	25	23.6	
Orange Juice DSI	26.00	23.2	
Gold DSI	30.00	31.60	
Lumber DSI	32.00	31.40	
Silver DSI	33.00	38.60	
Heating Oil DSI	34.00	42.60	
Crude Oil DSI	35.00	43.20	
CRB Index DSI	35.00	41.60	
Natural Gas DSI	36.00	38.20	
US Dollar DSI	43.00	43.80	
Swiss Franc DSI	45.00	48.20	
Platinum DSI	48.00	52.40	
SPX DSI	50.00	52.80	
Nasdaq DSI	53.00	57.20	
Gasoline DSI	54.00	60.40	
Australian Dollar DSI	54.00	53.00	
Cocoa DSI	55.00	64.40	

1 Day - Watch List - No Layout

Code	% Bullish	5MA	History
British Pound DSI	55.00	50.20	
VIX DSI	56.00	50.00	
Nikkei DSI	62.00	66.80	
Euro DSI	63.00	61.60	
New Zealand Dollar DSI	65.00	62.80	
Lean Hog DSI	66.00	67.40	
Copper DSI	66.00	66.00	
Sugar DSI	68.00	63.60	
Palladium DSI	69.00	71.00	
EuroDollar DSI	73.00	73.00	
Cotton DSI	73.00	72.20	
Cattle DSI	73.00	76.00	
5YR DSI	73.00	75.00	
10Y DSI	74.00	79.20	
Corn DSI	75.00	72.80	
Mexican Peso DSI	79.00	71.60	
Wheat DSI	80	74.20	

Source: trade-futures.com

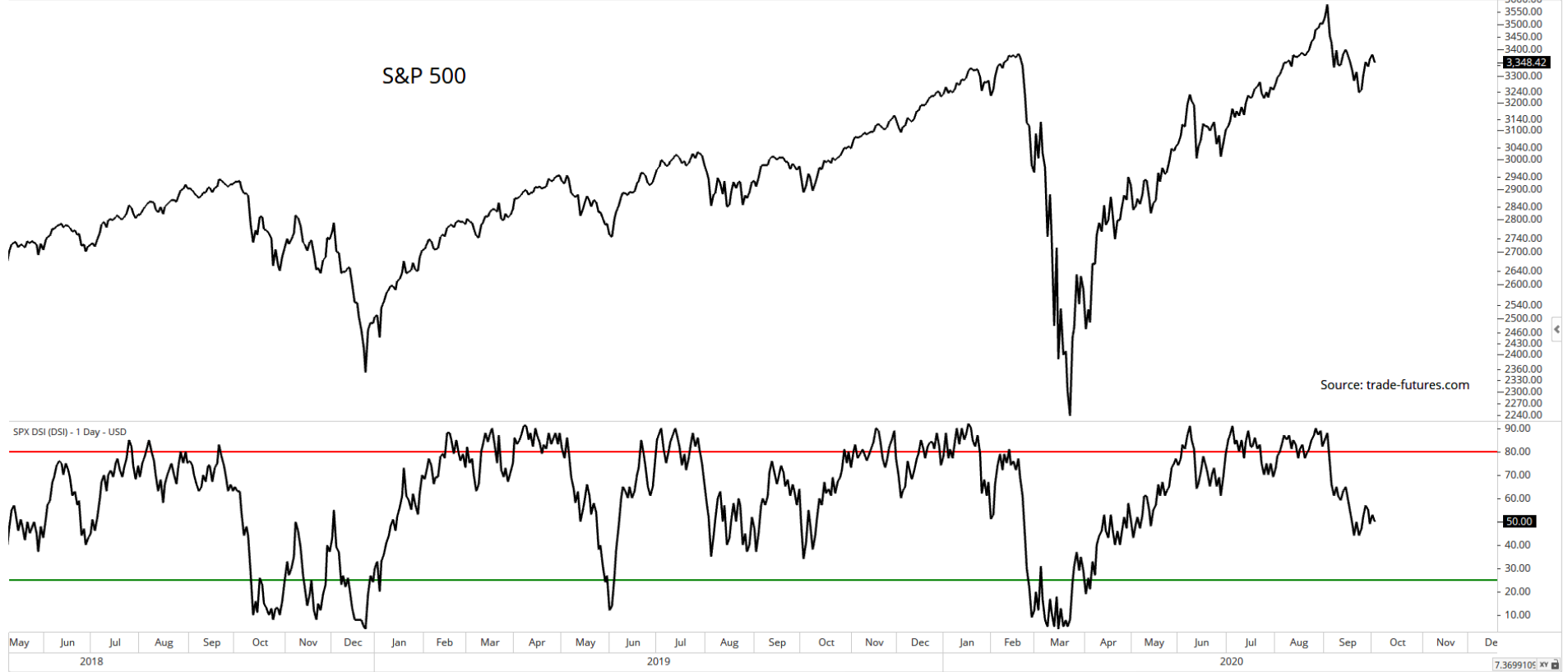
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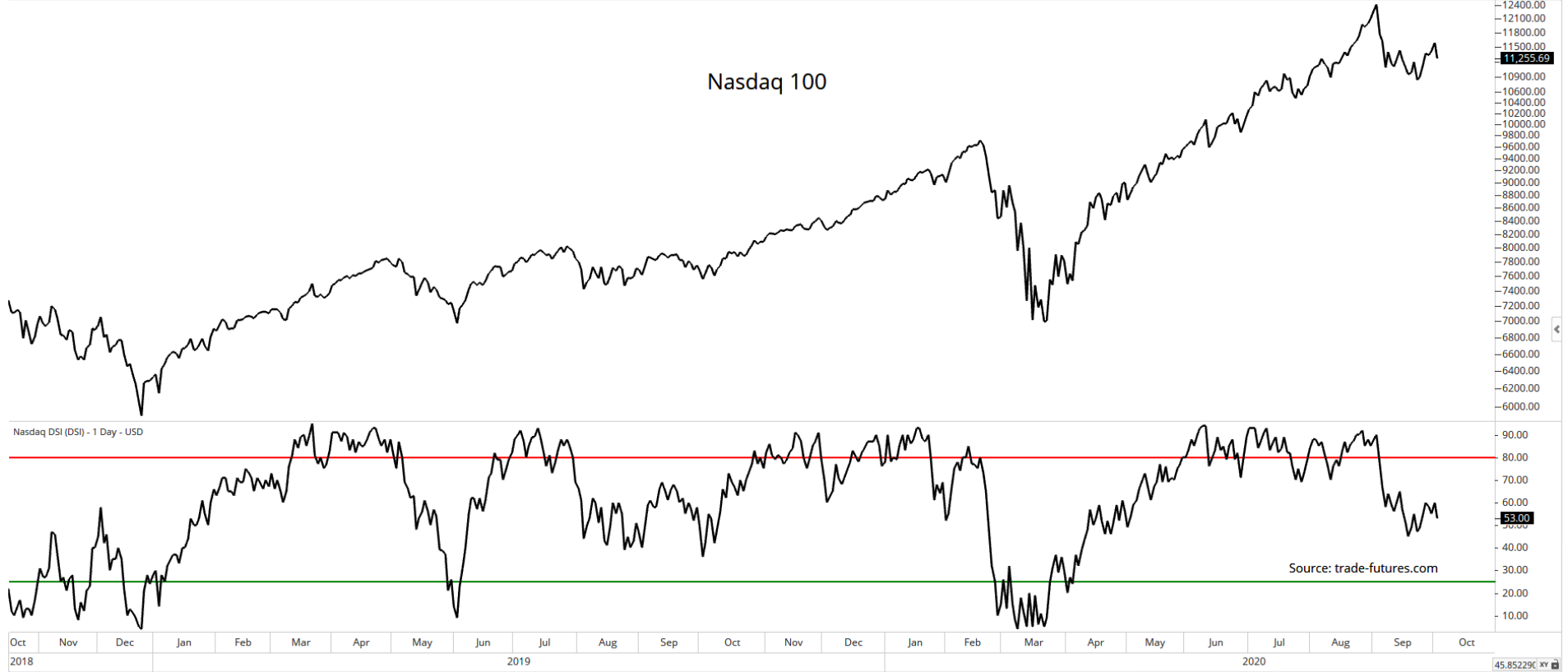
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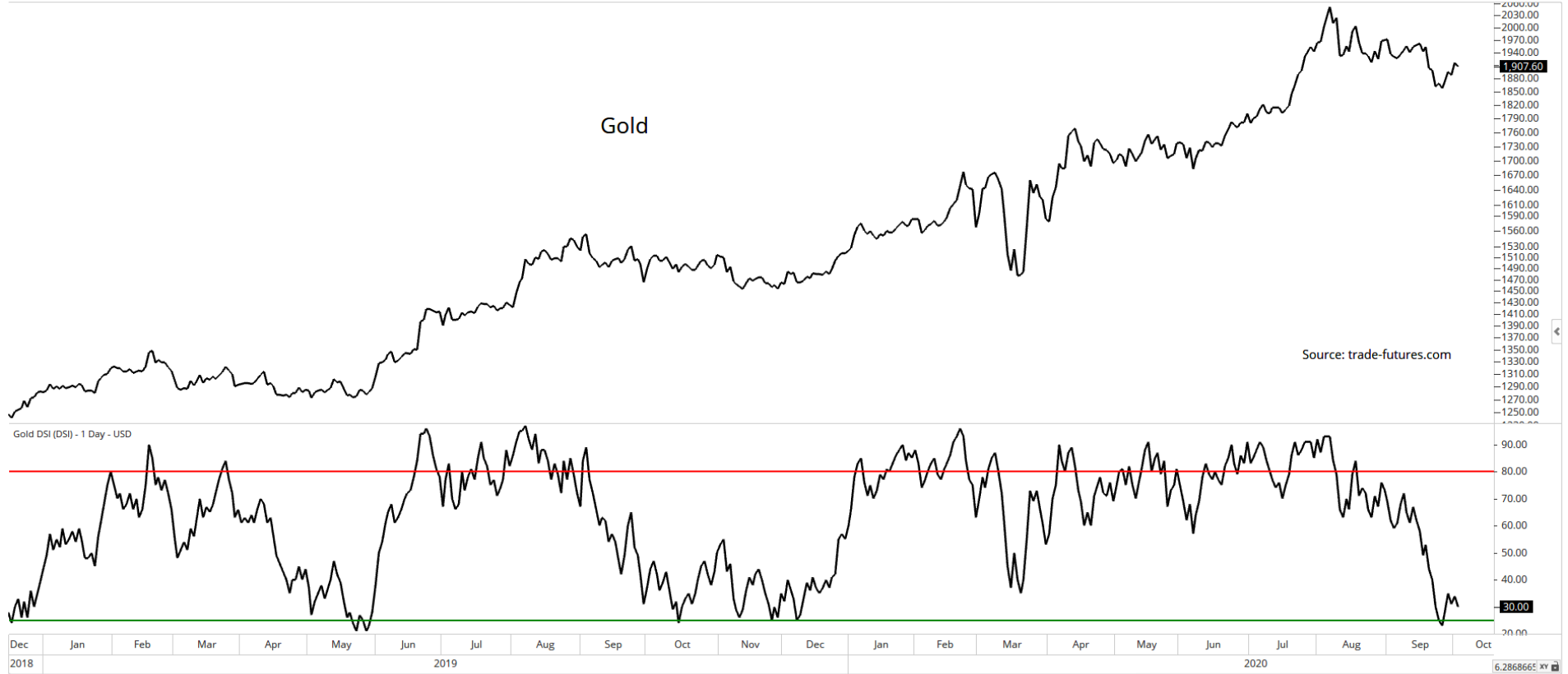


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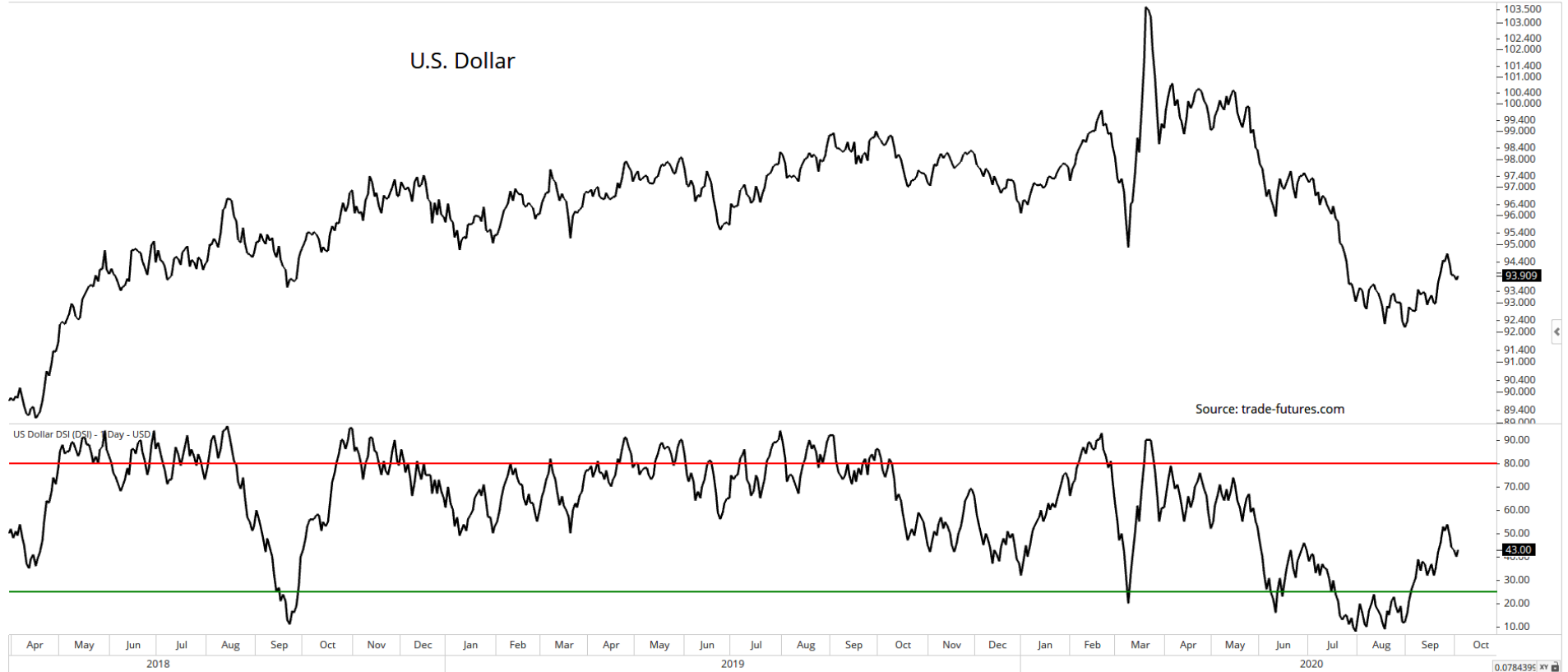
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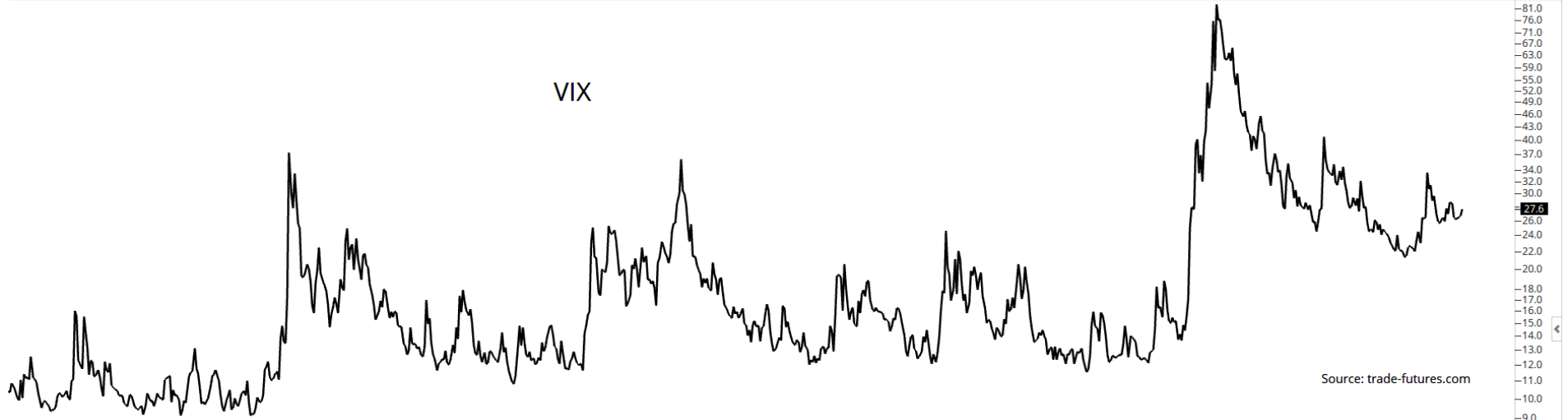
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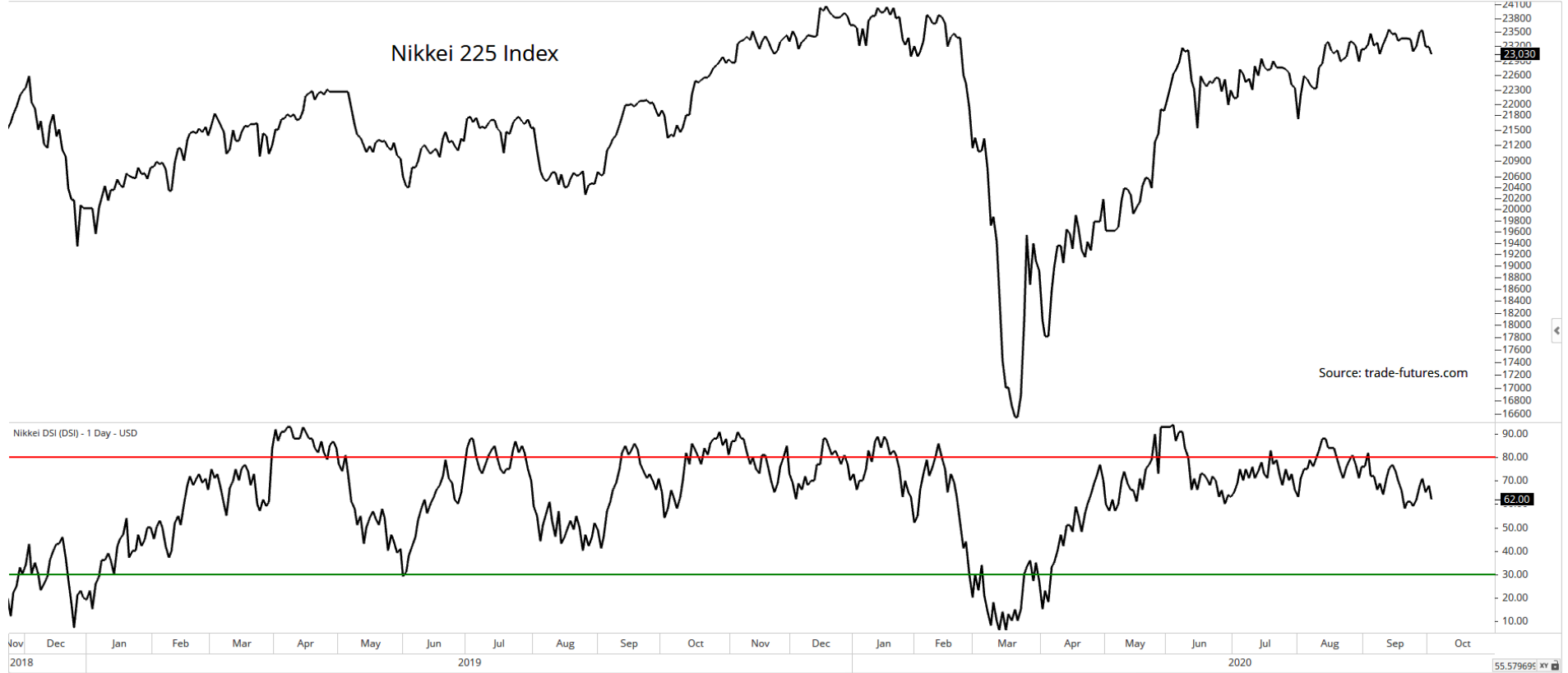


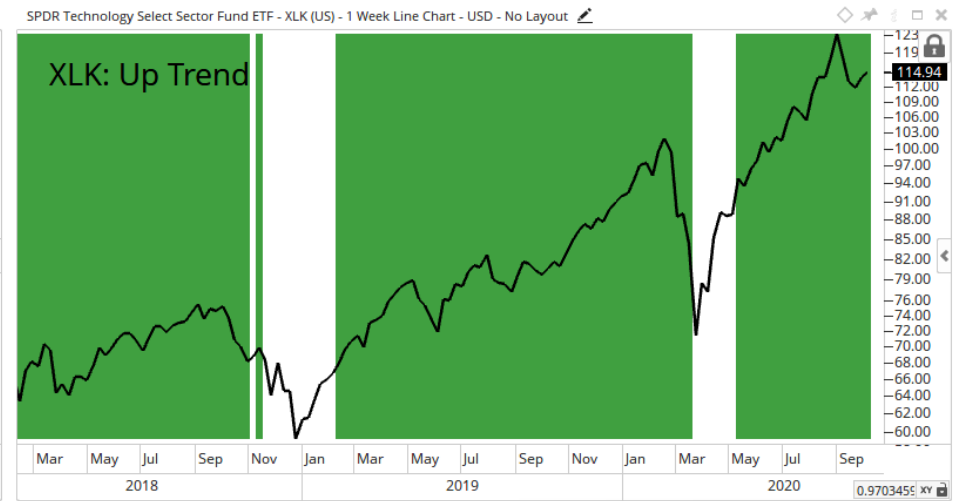
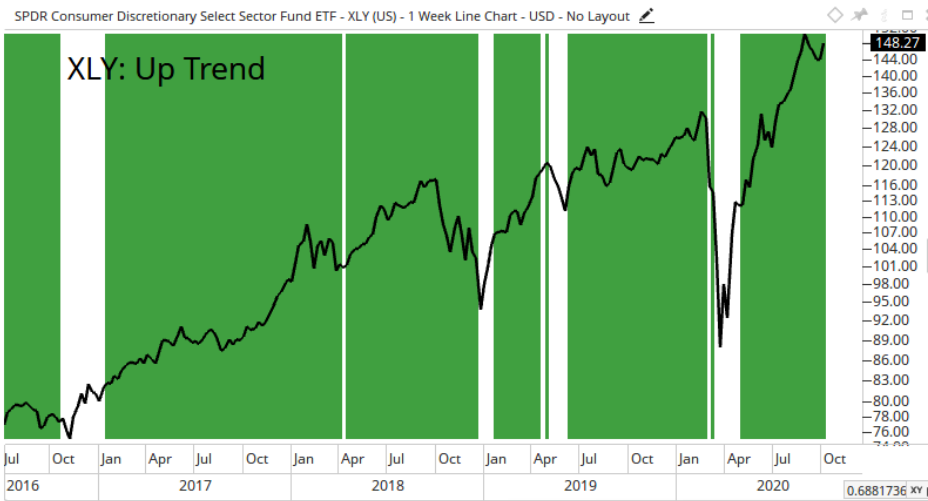
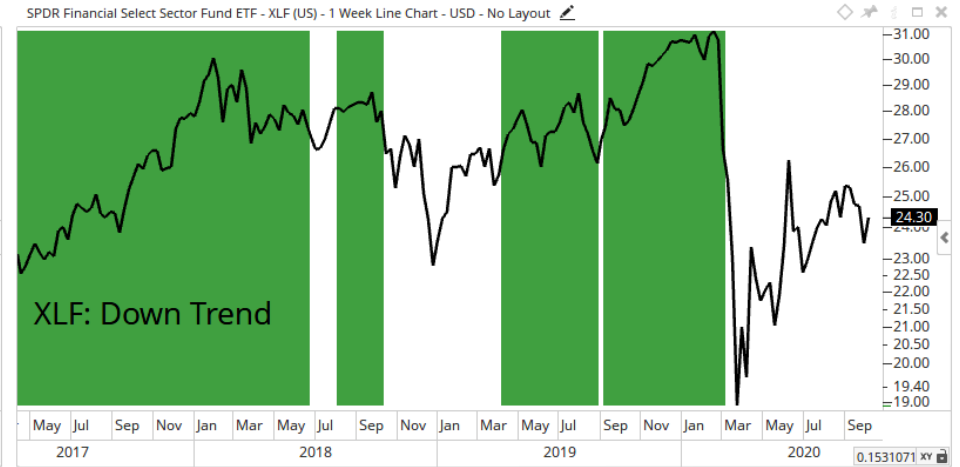
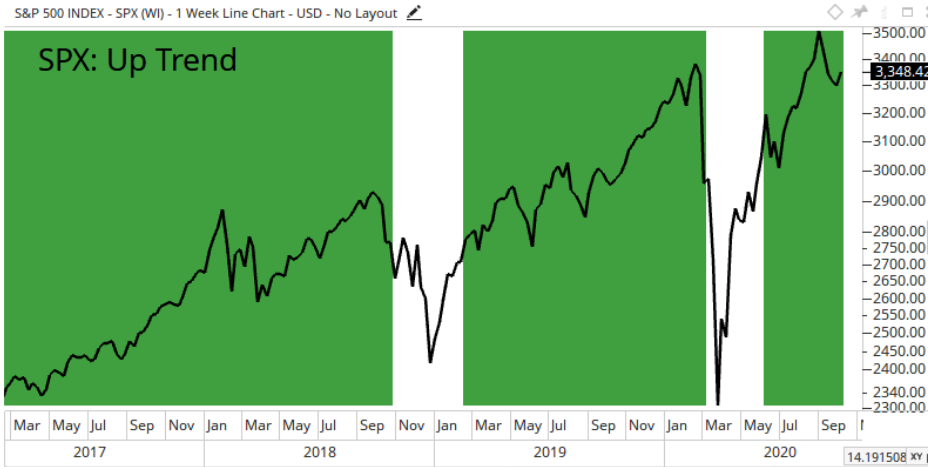
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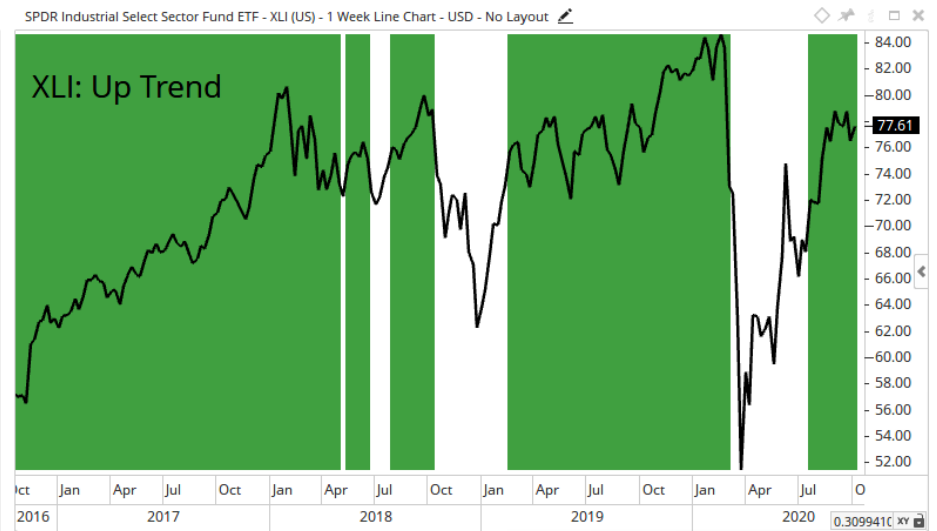
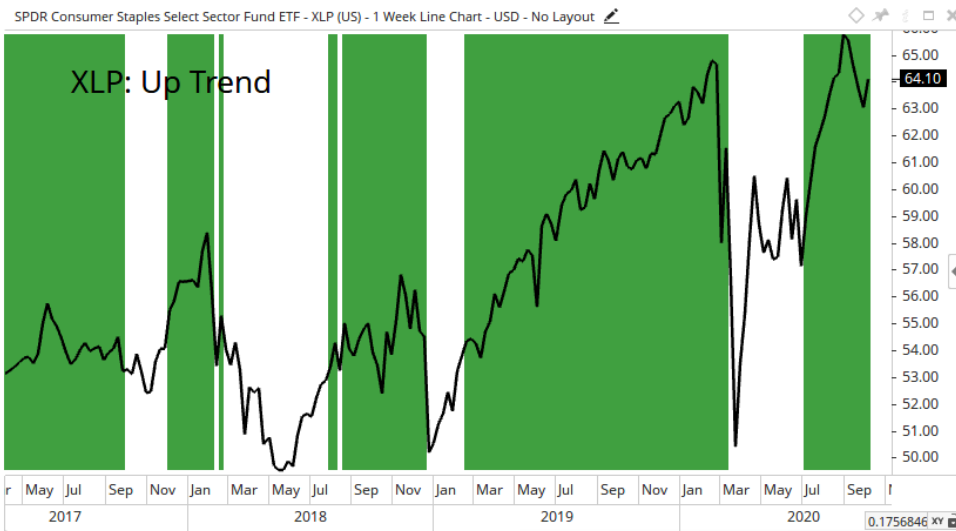
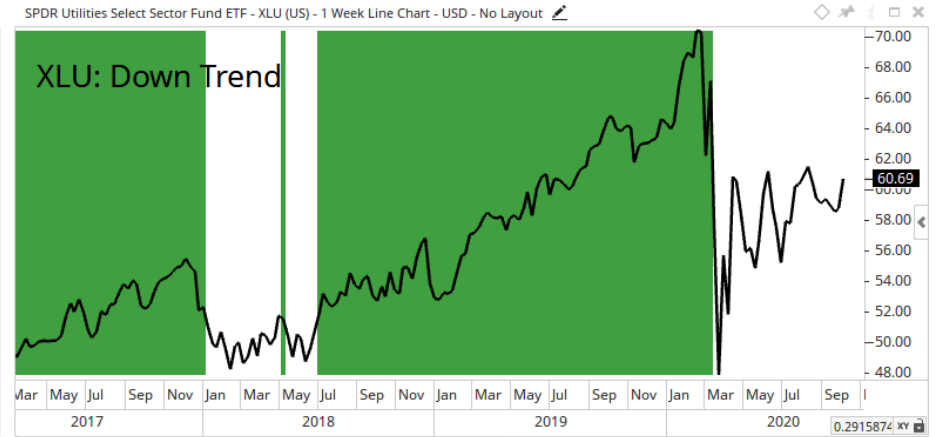
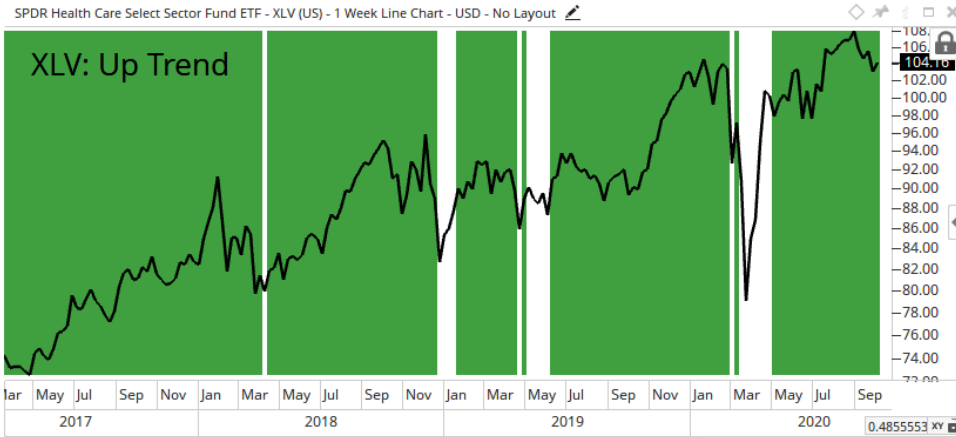




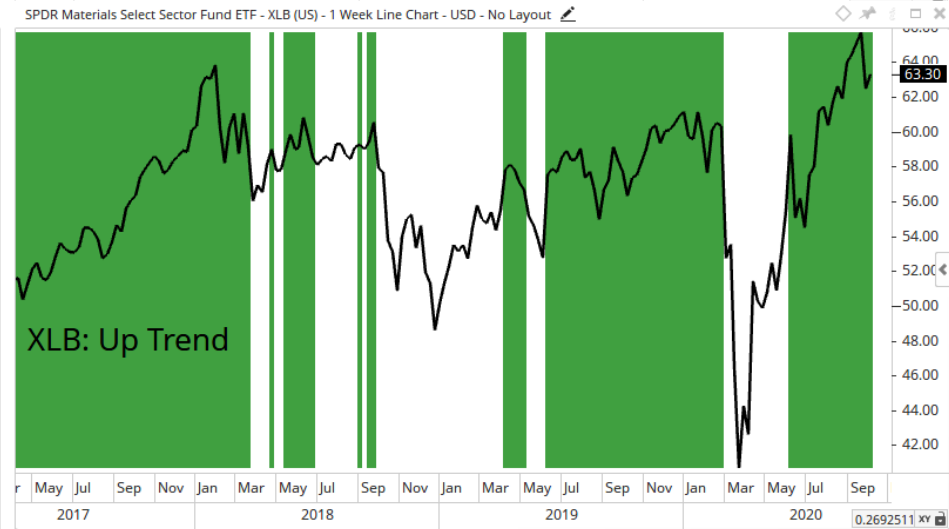
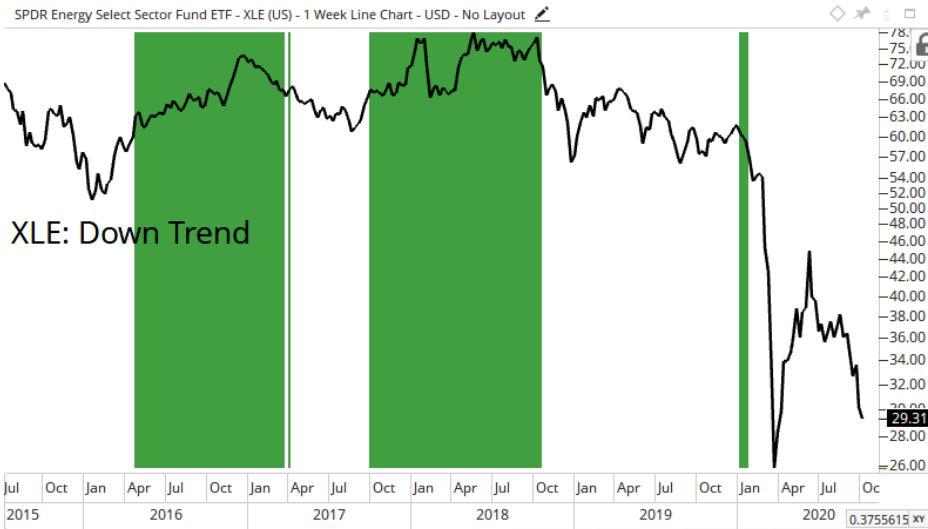
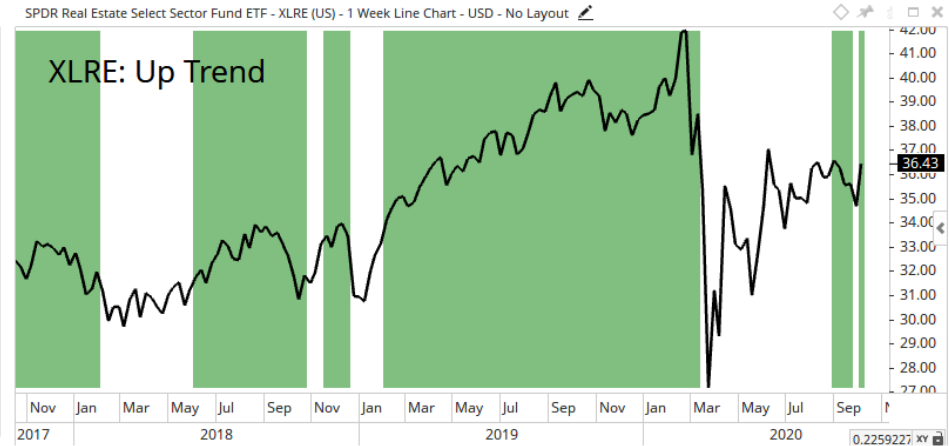
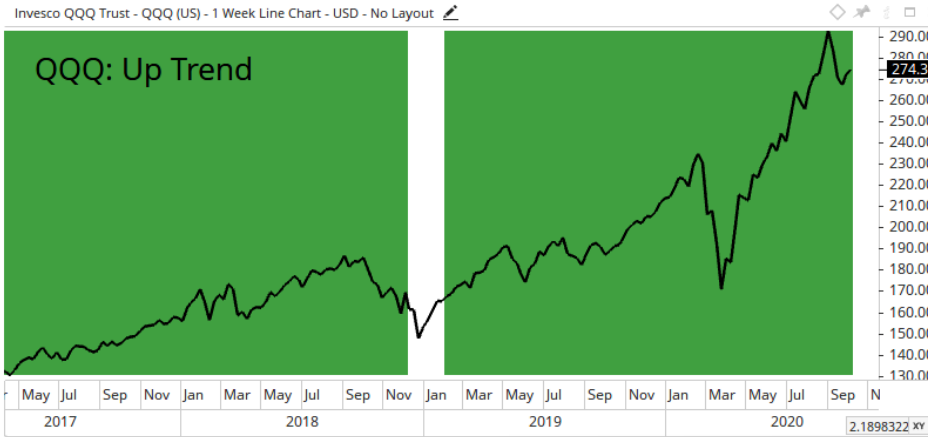
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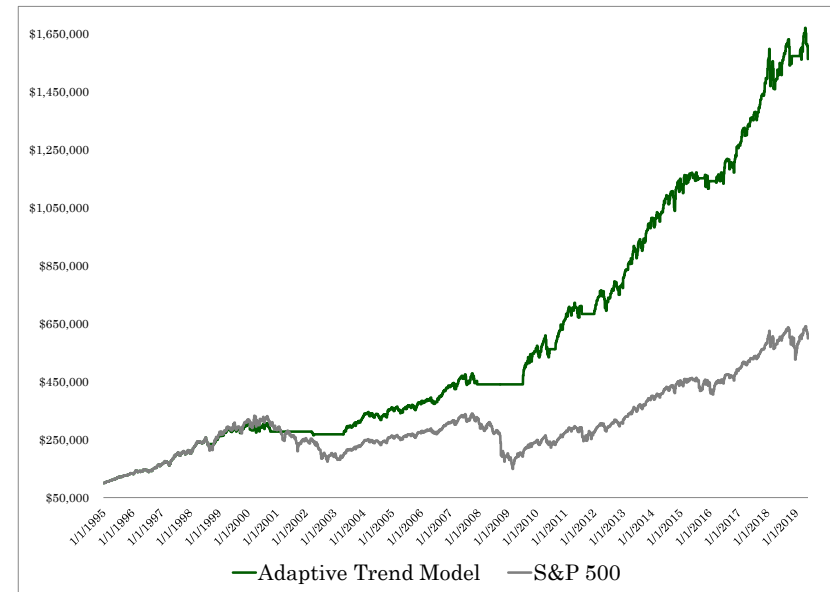
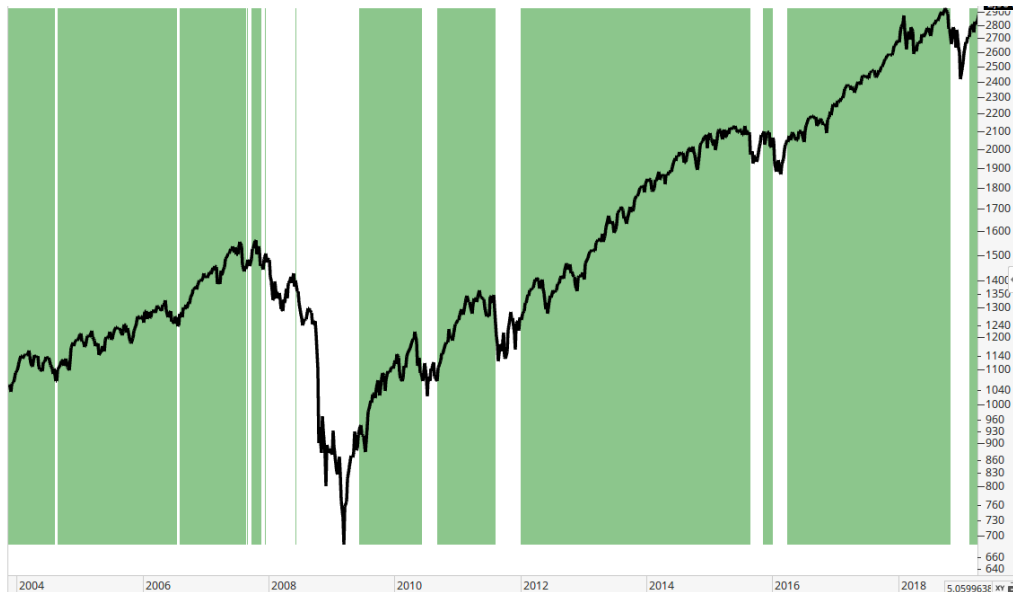






**T**rend-based analysis is a process built on the idea of enduring minor pullbacks in the anticipating of avoiding protracted drawdowns in financial markets. With a focus on stepping out of the market during large down trends, the Thrasher Analytics Adaptive Trend Model (TAATM) pursues to minimize the “whipsaws” of signals during highly volatile periods of market activity. To accomplish this, TAATM incorporates multiple look-back time periods and incorporates volatility gauges in its evaluation of the equity market’s overall trend.

Thrasher Analytics analysis concludes the market’s trend is led by the resulting trend of its individual stocks. This means, if the majority of stocks are trending in one direction, then the broad index will be persuaded to follow that trend as well. By incorporating the individual stock trends, volatility, and multiple time periods, the TAATM provides a data-focused look at the overall trend of the U.S. equity market.

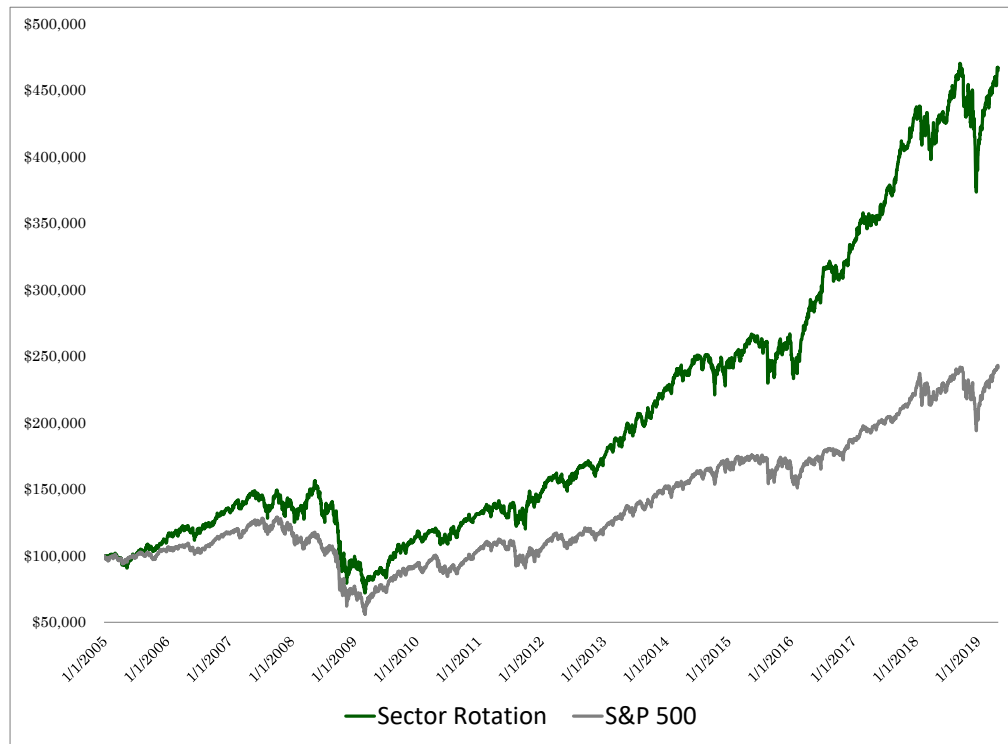


	<b>Annualized Return</b>	<b>Annualized Volatility</b>	<b>Beta</b>	<b>Sharpe</b>	<b>Maximum Drawdown</b>
<b>Adaptive</b>	12.5%	10.3%	0.47	0.97	14.1%
<b>S&amp;P 500</b>	8.9%	15.3%	1	0.42	56.6%

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**T**hrasher Analytics holds the belief, resulted from an in-depth examination of the performance of the primary S&P sectors, that they historically cycle through periods of strength and weakness. In order to move towards capturing the alpha from this rotation, a mean-reversion model is deployed with a monthly rebalance of the lowest scoring sectors. Using proprietary methods of systematic technical analysis, Thrasher Analytics sector rotation model focuses on equity sectors that are most heavily showing signs of volatility and trend exhaustion and likely to be exposed to a positive shift in investor sentiment. By pairing this mean reversion approach towards sectors with the Adaptive Trend Model for the broad index, a layer of risk management can be achieved through strategy diversification.

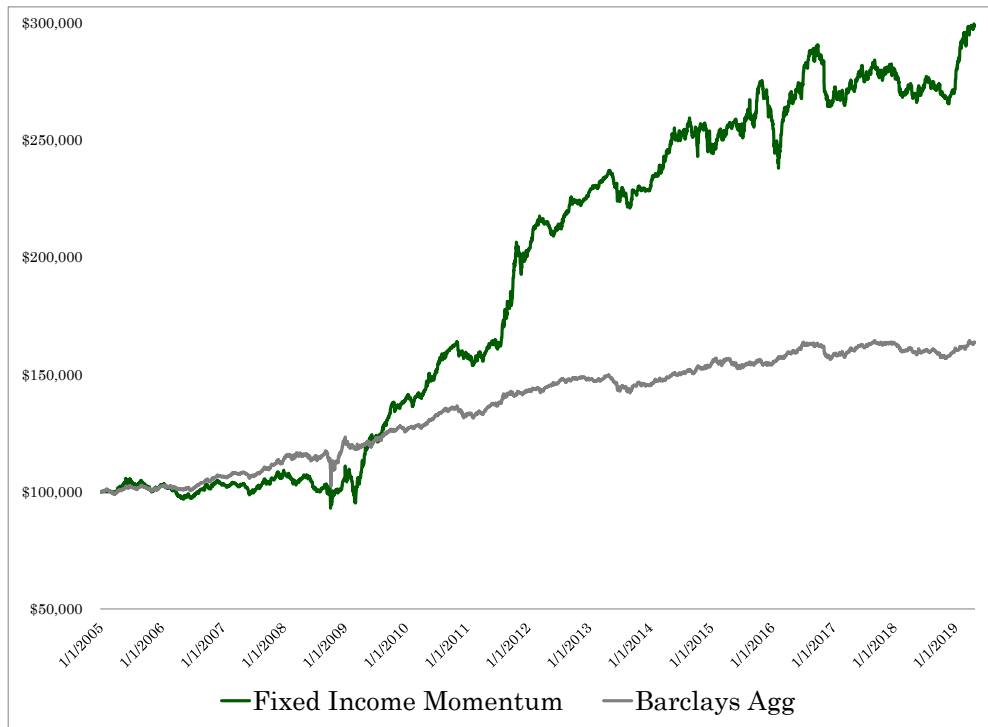


	<b>Annualized Return</b>	<b>Annualized Volatility</b>	<b>Beta</b>	<b>Sharpe</b>	<b>Maximum Drawdown</b>
<b>Sector</b>	12.7%	15.9%	0.96	0.64	53.9%
<b>S&amp;P 500</b>	7.5%	14.8%	1	0.34	56.6%

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If equities are the speedboats in the sea of financial markets then fixed income securities are the tanker ships. While stocks can move violently in both directions, Thrasher Analytics research has shown that fixed income markets historically show consistent trends. Because of the tanker-like movements displayed by bonds, a quarterly rebalance method is used for the Thrasher Analytics Fixed Income Momentum Model, with a pursuit focusing on the strongest performing corners of the fixed income market. By evaluating the risk adjusted momentum of both long- and short-term momentum, the Fixed Income Momentum Model also incorporates a proprietary indicator that acts as a throttle of the momentum score of each fixed income ETF. This indicator penalizes those ETFs that have moved too high and too fast in short-term trading while still allowing overall positive momentum to be the guiding principle of the model.



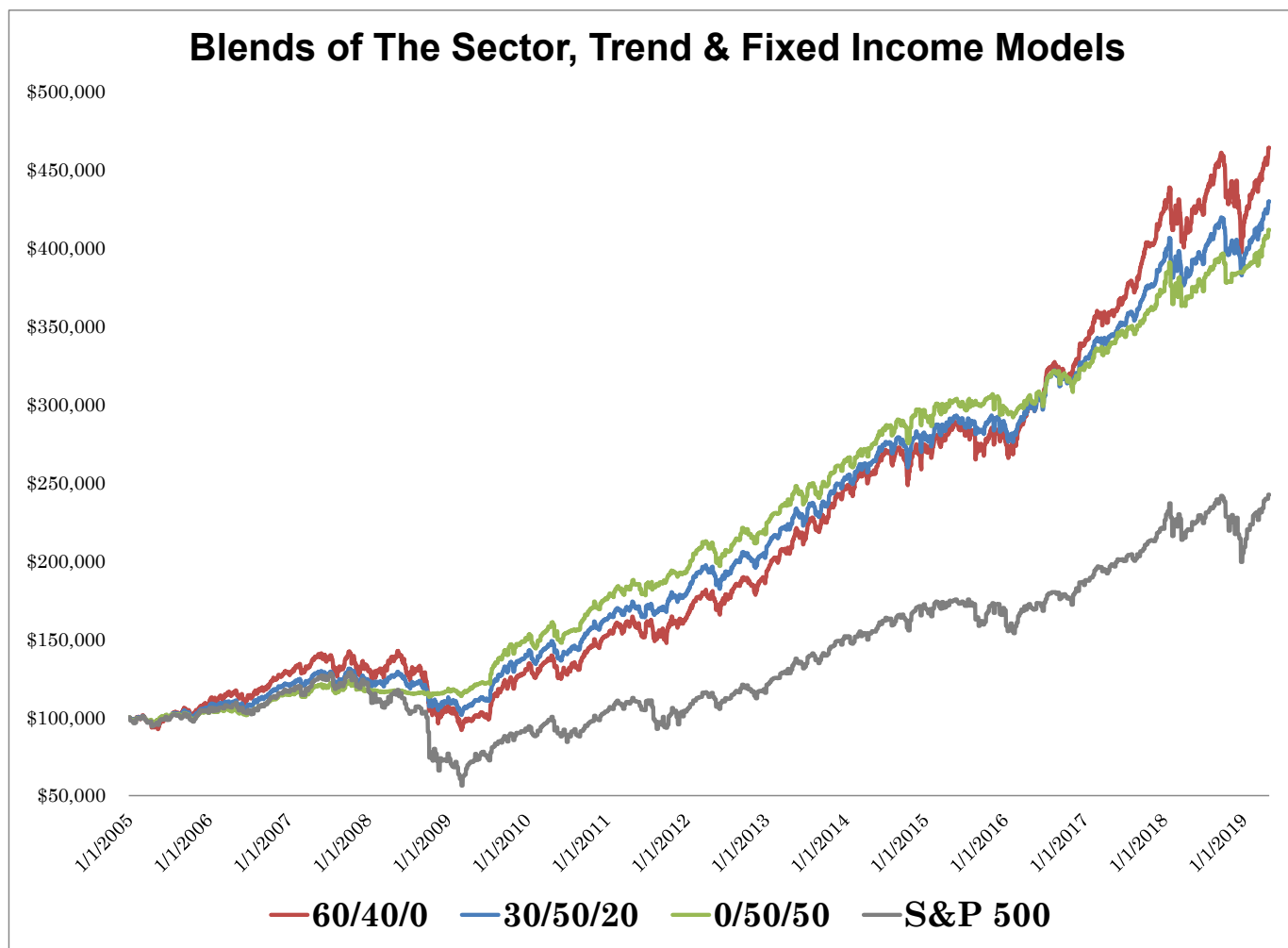
	<b>Annualized Return</b>	<b>Annualized Volatility</b>	<b>Beta</b>	<b>Sharpe</b>	<b>Maximum Drawdown</b>
<b>Fixed Income</b>	8.3%	8.2%	1.04	0.7	14.9%
<b>Barclays Agg</b>	3.6%	3.7%	1	0.29	11.0%

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The concept of diversification is not new to financial markets. While many market participants focus on the diversification of the underlying holdings. This procedure is can be vastly skewed during periods of high market turmoil, in which correlations across asset classes tend to historically rise. Thrasher Analytics believes in diversifying in strategy styles. By using multiple investment philosophies, specifically trend following, mean-reversion, and momentum, a blended model is created that has the ability to adapt to changing market environments and volatility. For example, when equity markets show a strong trend preference, the adaptive S&P 500 trend following component benefits but if there's a shift favoring a range-bound market the sector rotation strategy based on mean-reversion should provide favorable performance.





The above chart shows examples of blending the sector, trend, and fixed income models . Ranging from an all equity approach of 60% in sector rotation, 40% trend and 0% in fixed income; 30% in sector rotation, 50% in trend, and 20% in fixed income; 0% in sector rotation, 50% in trend, and 50% in fixed income.

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<b>Trend</b> <b>(weekly)</b>	<b>Sector</b> <b>Rotation</b> <b>(monthly)</b>	<b>Fixed Income</b> <b>Momentum</b> <b>(quarterly)</b>
Positive	XLY XLB XLK	TLT AGG

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